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Summer's End...

Summer is drawing her garment of gold
Close round her shoulders and stealing away,
Going so quietly,
Going so silently
Into the limbo of Yesterday.

Season of swimming is reaching its close,
Summer of surfing and laughter is done,
Clutch the fag end of it,
All that is left of it,
Months that were spent in a riot of fun.

Clean water clinging to gay colored caps,
Slender, young bodies are poised to dive,
Laughter and truth of them,
Beauty and youth of them,
Glad in the Summer-time, gladly alive.
P. Duncan-Brown.

ARCHBISHOP Reveals MODERN CHURCH Trend

By Our Clerical Writer

Apart from any other aspect, the enthronement last week of Archbishop Mowll reveals the fact that a remarkable spirit of tolerance between all Church groups now prevails.

The Archbishop, moreover, has shown that he desires to promote a broadness of spirit, not only within the Church of England, but towards other denominations.

His calling on the Roman Catholic Archbishop and attending the Methodist Conference at the Lyceum, are both acts characteristic of a modern broadness of outlook.

MANY years ago the Sydney of Melbourne, and Archbishop Le Fanu, of Perth, for the Primacy of Australia.

Before Archbishop Mowll's arrival those in the know thought that this honor would probably not remain, as it always has, in Sydney.

It was suggested, on the one hand, that it would be a good idea to make a change, and let one of the other States have it for a turn; and, on the other, that as the election is in the hands of all the Bishops of the Commonwealth, probably somebody who is a more definite Churchman would be elected.

For elsewhere there is not such a preponderance of the Low Church spirit as prevails in Sydney.

Archbishop Wand will arrive in Brisbane only very shortly before the election, so he has not been considered probable of election.

Archbishop Le Fanu has in his favor that he is a great administrator, interested and able in all constitutional matters.

But Archbishop Head was thought by many to be likely of selection.

As well as being an able speaker, he is a big factor in the life of Melbourne as a whole. He is interested in all social and economic questions, and greatly beloved by all clergymen under him, as he visits all the smaller parts of his diocese. Moreover, as the appointment would coincide with the Centenary celebrations, it would be very apt.

Yet notwithstanding all this, Archbishop Mowll is at present considered certain of becoming Primate.

So great an appeal has been made to all classes by his ability, personality and talent for appreciating every side of every issue, that he has attained an extraordinarily entrenched position already.

HIS breadth of understanding and tolerance and freedom, from fear of offending the narrow-minded has been clearly shown.

His first appearances as a public speaker have aroused great enthusiasm in all quarters.

The Premier, Mr. Stevens (a Methodist), stated that "Archbishop Mowll almost persuades me to become an Anglican." Bishop Crotty said that he had been almost moved to tears by His Grace's beautiful simplicity.

Archbishop Mowll, in short, is less likely to be a man any party can mould to suit its own ends, than to be a moulder of the different sections of the Anglican Church into one united body.

HIS GRACE is, of course, being mentioned, together with Archbishop Wand, of Brisbane, Archbishop Head,

A Bicycle Built For Two Again?



WILL MARY exchange this for "a bicycle built for two"? The cables this week referred again to the reported reconciliation between Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks. Miss Pickford stated that she hoped to "get over to England as soon as I can and want to go on a bicycling trip." She added that she was first going to Hollywood to make a new picture.

TELLING FRANCE About Sydney Men!

French Paper's Libellous "Description"

From MURIEL SEGAL, Our Special Representative in Europe

The Australian Women's Weekly, in its last issue, drew attention to the fact that gross libels on Australian women are being published in the important French paper, "Gingoire." These scandalous articles are part of a series written by Monsieur Ferri-Pisan, who recently visited Australia.

The nature of the contents of two of these articles was indicated in last issue of The Australian Women's Weekly. The third of the series dealt with in the report which follows, libelled Australian men as viciously as its predecessors libelled Australian women. Surely some official action should be taken to prevent such poisonous propaganda against Australia being spread throughout France!

THE third instalment of Monsieur Ferri-Pisan's report of Australia has now appeared in the French weekly, "Gingoire." Will Australia allow such unparalleled libels to go unchallenged and permit the French, who know so little of Australia, to believe such absurd lies?

This latest article deals with Sydney. The writer tells how he becomes acquainted with a young woman on the ferry going over to Manly. She invites

him to tea. He accepts on condition she will come to the cinema with him, and to this she agrees. He asks her if her husband allows her to accept casual invitations from strangers. Then she tells him that in Australia it is the women who go to business and provide for the men, and that the men stay at home and do the housework.

She tells him that her husband, father, and brother are all on the dole, and that she and her sister and mother go to work. She goes on to offer him a room in their house, which he accepts, being anxious to peep at this curious Australian family life, where the order of things is so reversed.

THERE is a great bustle when they reach home, "the men, in the midst of household and even feminine work, carrying their wash-up mops and flat irons, and wearing aprons, hasten to welcome their womenfolk who come back from Sydney with the trusting smiles, which wives used to welcome husbands back from factory or office."

THE writer is held up as an example to these young men because he has work. He is told that in Australia it

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A special Home Beautiful section of eight pages is included in this week's issue of The Australian Women's Weekly. It is packed with modern ideas in home decoration arrangement.

is the general rule that, since the slump, only the women of the households work. The women are given all the jobs, because they are allowed to accept lower wages than the men.

He learns that in Australia waiters have been replaced by waitresses, tailors by dressmakers, and that there are even women engineers and chemists instead of men. While he is talking to the men of the family the women are in the other room taking an aperitif without having asked the men to join them, but call out impatiently to know if dinner isn't nearly ready.

The hostess then says to her husband, "The front steps don't look very clean to me."

"Well, I did brush them over to-day," says "the master of the house," excusing himself.

During dinner, which is entirely dominated by the women-folk, the "gentleman friend" of the hostess drops in and he, being the proud owner of a job in a man's cloakroom, is able to ask Madame to the cinema in spite of the obvious jealousy of her helpless husband.

The young brother's girl then calls for him. She has a job in a shoe shop, and so takes him to the pictures and also provides him with cigarettes every Saturday night.

There is much more in similar strain. Australian blood boils at this gross misrepresentation of Australian men and women. One would like, among other things, to remind Monsieur Ferri-Pisan that Paris is the home and forcing-ground of the gigolo, who has no part in the same-minded Australian scheme of things.

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*Let's Talk of
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—Women's Weekly photo.

PIONEER OF NASAL HYGIENE

WHEN KATHERINE GREENE went to England for a holiday about seven years ago she had no intention of taking up a career. Then she met Dr Octavia Lewin, the eminent London nose and throat specialist, and began a course of nasal hygiene at Dr. Lewin's clinic. After nearly three years she came back to Melbourne, where she believes she is the pioneer of nasal hygiene—that preventer of nose and throat troubles.

With the whole-hearted approval of the matron, Miss Greene instituted nasal hygiene at the Victorian Children's Aid Society, and at the same time trained the nurses there to carry on the good work. She has lectured on the subject in many of our schools, and when Dr. W. Kept Hughes published his paper on catarrh and the common cold and the tonsil problem he asked Miss Greene to write briefly on nasal hygiene.



—Women's Weekly photo.

AIRSHIP CAPTAIN

FRAU SOPHIE THOMAS, of Berlin, is the first woman in Germany to be granted a captain's certificate for airships. Frau Thomas' husband was an air officer in the Great War, and she has long been interested in aviation and was an expert on practical matters of engineering. She had made a close study of the building of aeroplanes before she qualified for her captain's certificate. She is frequently to be seen flying in a Parseval-Naatz over Berlin.



—Women's Weekly photo.

GOLD MEDALLIST

MRS. ANNE MORROW LINDBERGH is the first woman to be awarded the Hubbard Gold Medal by the National Geographic Society of America. This medal was conferred for geographical aerial achievements, and so far only nine men, one of whom is Mrs. Lindbergh's famous husband, have been similarly honored.

Mrs. Lindbergh's work during the aerial circumnavigation of the Atlantic by her husband, and during his earlier flight to Tokyo from America, was an outstanding achievement, which gained her this signal honor.

What Would You EXCHANGE FOR MONEY?

WHAT would you exchange for money—a lot of money? The answer to this leading question is not so easily provided as it may appear.

When all the things held dear are counted and considered, one by one, what is left to offer in exchange for wealth and the luxuries appertaining thereto?

By THE BARONESS ORCZY

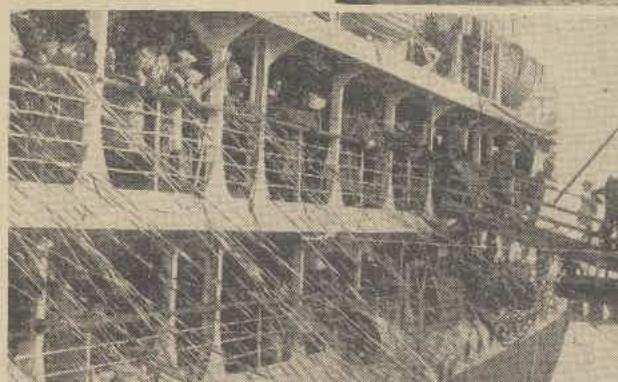
(*Of "Scarlet Pimpernel" Fame.*)

HOW often do we hear it said that "Every man hath his price?" How often do we hear this or that success ascribed to the persuasive power of the "Almighty dollar?" Yet both quotations are the merest nonsense,

and fit only for the mouths of self-confessed failures in the world's race for success and happiness!

Indeed, wealth is not almighty, far from it. It is only exceedingly pleasant—and so is health. It has not the satisfying quality of faith, nor the rapture of love. Frankly, I believe that wealth—a lot of it—is a source of more trouble than anything else on earth. The getting it is a worry, the losing it a greater one still. In that way it is like teeth—a trouble when they come, a trouble when they go.

Unfortunately, the tendency of the



TOP: IT IS such scenes as this that make love and romance worth more than all the money in the world. You cannot buy moonlight, nor the affinity of soul that exists between one who loves and one who is loved. This couple are enjoying a rapture which they will remember for ever. Money could not buy it for them, and lack of money could not stop them enjoying it.

LEFT: THIS great liner, sailing away to the other side of the world, is carrying on it hundreds of people who have exchanged a large bulk of their savings for the right to travel. It is said that Australians will pay bigger prices to travel than any other people in the world.

Lure of Wealth

ITAR be it from me to pretend to a ridiculous attitude of contempt for wealth and all the comfort and luxury which it can bring. I like wealth, and I love comfort and even luxury when I can get it. I like to see beautiful pearls round a beautiful woman's neck, and have before now cast eyes of longing on fifteen-hundred-guinea fur coats. At the same time, I do not believe in the influence of wealth as wealth, or in the power of pearl necklaces and fur coats. There are influences far greater than these.

To begin with, there is religion. There is no money in the world that could purchase the convictions of a devout man or woman, no matter to what form of religion he or she may adhere. The pages of the world's history teem with the accounts of martyrdom endured rather than belief renounced. It were almost ridiculous to refer to the early Christian martyrs, to the horrors of the Inquisition, or the persecution of the Jews, for these facts are too well known to need reiteration, but they do serve to prove the fact that not even life, much less wealth or honors, was ever a price high enough to offer when religious conviction was at stake.

Then there is love. Is there any money in the world that will purchase the love of a woman if she be forced into marriage with a very Croesus? Many a rich man has learned this hard lesson to his cost. Diamonds and pearls, fur coats and motor cars, every luxury a woman's heart can desire, will not com-

day is to imagine that wealth must be gained at any cost, that wealth alone matters, that for its sake it is wise to sacrifice everything that the idealist believes to be most precious—love, conscience, art, sometimes even honor. It is true that we cannot take these things to a pawnshop like we can a string of pearls, but when we have them we don't want to go to a pawnshop. They are gems far more precious than the proudest pearls ever found in the deepest seas. And, what is more, they have a purchasing power which the almighty dollar never had, and never will have; they can purchase love and friendship. Honor calls to honor, love to love, and both will bring into one's life that great guerdon direct from God, true and loyal friends.

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How Sea Bathing Started

SEA bathing is now our most popular pastime, but in the early 16th Century it was the credo of the world of fashion that while the body might be washed from time to time with fresh water, salt water was only for fish, sailors, and the mentally unbalanced.

In fact, lunatics were the originators of sea bathing, because in the Middle Ages doctors, when prescribing for them, suggested salt water as the specific for their complaint.

It was about 1770 in England that sea bathing first became popular through a man named Doctor Russel, although a few courageous souls braved the waves before that time.

ON the Continent, the Germans were the first to get the seaside habit, and by 1812 France took up the craze.

Curious scenes were witnessed at Dieppe, where the bathers were plunged into the water in baskets to protect them from the waves and tides.

The really fashionable of France were not won over to this new form of bathing until 1834, when the Duchesse de Berry learned to swim and dip in the ocean.

Quite a unique piece of pageantry accompanied her immersion. She was led a little way into the water by the Director of the Beach, an elegant person clad in evening dress and white gloves, a gun then being fired off to announce to those on the beach that her Royal Highness was in.

The papers of the time issued instructions to would-be bathers, telling them to sit or stand on the shore, taking care that they were held from behind by the hands. Also they were advised to wear a woolen shift in order to keep the eyes of the curious from seeing too much.—D.V.

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MISS PEGGY SCRIVEN, the English tennis star, who won the French Women's Championship last year.



TYPICAL SCENE at Wimbledon, the Mecca of the tennis world, where the international contests are played.



JOAN HARTIGAN

Peggy Scriven Sums Up Wimbledon!

The annual gathering of tennis stars of all countries at Wimbledon has a special interest this year for Australians, as our champion, Joan Hartigan, will be facing her first great test against the leading internationals.

Joan, who is already on the high seas, has been specially commissioned to keep The Australian Women's Weekly in closest touch with the games, and her exclusive articles will be read with the greatest interest by Australian women.

Peggy Scriven, the English girl, who rose to meteoric fame in the French championships last year, and who represented England in the Wightman Cup tournament in America, tells in this special article what is in store at Wimbledon.

By PEGGY SCRIVEN, by special cable to *The Women's Weekly*

A FEW days ago I saw in the papers the following headlines:

"Another record Wimbledon. Applications for tickets exceed those of previous years."

It seems difficult to believe that people

are already clamoring to obtain seats for this great sports event, as yet far away in June—yet really it will not be long now. At the All-England Club the preparations of the famous grounds go on apace, new stands are being built, old ones knocked down, and the flawless turf is being microscopically examined for any slightest weed or unwanted growth. Soon the champions of many different and remote countries will assemble, and the great battle for the blue ribbon of lawn tennis will commence once more.

The 1934 Wimbledon promises to be an intriguing one.

BOTH from the men's and women's point of view, hopes are high for English and Empire "stars."

Just now Perry and Crawford seem to be running neck and neck for men's supremacy in the tennis world, and at present the balance is, if anything, a little in Perry's favor. But I should think Jack Crawford is a tired man and sadly in need of a long rest.

From my own experience, after winning the French championships, I proved that, for a woman, it is almost impossible to play one's best in two consecutive championships. I felt I had hardly the energy to move at all during my 4th and 5th round matches at Wimbledon, and I am sure that it must be much the same for a man... yet Jack won both at Paris and Wimbledon

and reached the finals at the American-Australian Championships.

Perry, it appears, is as fresh as ever, and even more determined, if possible.

CLOSE on the heels of these two are many overseas invaders, only a few of whose names I can mention here. Personally, my outsider's choice for the championship rests between Mader, the brilliant young Spaniard (who, if you remember, ran Crawford to five sets at Wimbledon last year, and was, incidentally the only "ace" to out in the first round here), and Frank Shields, both capable of being world-beaters on their day.

Then, of course, one must not forget Steffen and Parker, two young and determined players, who might easily do great things this year.

The French team's hopes are not as bright as previously, yet in Boussac, Bernard, and Merlin there are still great possibilities. Personally, I always consider Boussac to be something of a genius. Yet it seems his mind is never quite on the game. One day I think he'll wake up to full concentration, and then, I believe, he'll make history.

English ability suffers a big drop after Perry. I don't believe Austin has the stamina ever to win Wimbledon, and the rest are a long way behind this pair.

As for the women, this is again an intriguing enigma. Now that it seems unlikely that Mrs. Wills Moody will be defending, the field becomes at once more open, and full of possibilities. Tennis among English women to-day is definitely better than it has been since the days of Kitty McKane, and there are numerous "rising" young stars such as Kay Summers, Freda James, and

Dorothy Round, who should all have good chances for the coveted title.

I consider the two strongest overseas players to be Helen Jacobs and Fraulein Krahinkel, both terribly difficult to beat on their day, and far superior, in my opinion, to any other foreign "star" with the possible exception of Mine Mathieu. (Unfortunately, this great player rarely displays her top form on grass, but she is always a force to be reckoned with).

Then, of course, there is Sarah Palfrey—undoubtedly close to the world-beater class on her home courts—but there again we have yet to see her at her best on the Wimbledon turf.

THERE will also be numerous interesting newcomers to watch attentively. I believe Alice Marble, the young Californian with the cannon ball service, intends coming over, and I have heard great news from my Belgian friends of a certain Mile Adamson, as yet only nineteen years old, who the Belgians I gather believe will give us a surprise or two during the meeting.

THE news that Joan Hartigan, the Australian champion, is on the way over to England, is, of course, wonderful.

Oh, yes, it is definitely going to be a record Wimbledon in more ways than one, I'm sure, and whoever accomplishes the great achievement of winning the ladies' or men's all-comers' singles will surely have had a hard fight and be fully deserving of the crown.

WOMEN'S Team for CATTLE-DRAFTING

One of the most interesting features of the show this year will be the competition between a team of women riders from Queensland and one from New South Wales.

This will mark the first occasion on which a camp-draft, one of the most interesting phases of country life, has been included on the programme of events, for it has been generally conceded as definitely a man's province.

THE teams include four of the best-known women riders from each State, and they will be required to cut out the cattle from the mob and draft under exactly the same conditions as the men.

City dwellers unskilled in the rites of horsemanship and the process of mustering cattle, will watch with bated breath while country visitors will scan the proceedings with coolly appraising eyes.

The Queensland team includes: Miss May Wood, Warrag; Miss Mary Taylor, Brisbane; Miss Rene Collins, Miles; Miss Jean Burgess, Miriam Vale.

The N.S.W. team comprises: Miss Jessie Stirkton, Inverell; Miss Jessie Stirkton, Inverell; Miss Beattie Scott, Bogabilla; Mrs. Solomon, Inverell.

THE actual camp-draft is a thrilling exhibition of horsemanship in which the impression is given that the major portion of the credit is due to the horse.

Just as the polo ponies learn to respond to their riders' faintest signal, and apparently, know the rules of the game to the letter, so the horse in the camp-draft displays the very highest order of equine sagacity.

At the side of the ring stands a restless, uneasy mob of bullocks. The steward indicates to the competing rider that one particular animal, one that is standing in the centre of the mob, is to be "cut-out."

The competitor rides straight into the heart of the mob and gradually emerges guiding the beast before him.

When one considers that the sight of just one of those bullocks at the side of

the road would cause a city woman to scale the nearest fence, it is scarcely necessary to enlarge upon the skill that goes to the cutting-out process.

BUT the next stage contains the real thrill for the onlookers. A definite course, over which the bullock must be guided, is marked out by pegs in the ring.

Directly the bullock finds itself separated from the rest of the mob, it is ready to charge blindly forward. But for this course of action the horse and rider are prepared, and the bullock finds itself forced by gentle pressure from the horse's shoulder to follow the allotted trail.

The trail is devious, leading the horse and the beast in circular directions, and as the bends in the trail have to be negotiated, the horse displays its agility.

Just the slightest signal from the rider and the horse is round the other side of the beast, causing it to make the requisite turn.

All of which is done at tremendous speed. The beast, unused to restraint or guidance of any nature, thunders angrily across the turf, but the horse gallops with him, never losing touch.

To those who are familiar with work on a cattle station it will represent part of a day's work, but they will be the more ready to acclaim the champions of the craft, for they will be able to fully appreciate the difficulties of their job.

To the city people it will seem incredible, and they will watch the beautifully groomed, intelligent animals and their fearless riders spellbound.



A PRINCE of GOOD FELLOWS



LINTRIGUE and jealousy are now rearing their heads in the plot of this fascinating new serial.

You have met
EVE FOSTER, the 19-year-old heroine, is assistant in **Cher Fleurette**, a fashionable florist's. The shop is situated opposite the

Odeon Theatre.

EVE FOSTER, Jenny's golden-haired sister, and her sweetheart, **MAURICE RANDALL** have both secured parts in the "Golden Girl."

TED FOSTER, Jenny's brother, is a saxophone player, but too hot-tempered to keep his job. He is in love with **ANNE CARROLL**, another assistant in the flower shop. Yvonne and Pamela are the other two assistants.

MADAME FLEURETTE is the business-like owner of the shop. Jenny has an uneasy feeling about her.

CLIVE FREEMAN is a regular customer at the shop. He is a staid city man, but is now in love with Jenny.

TONI GERRARD, "The Prince of Good Fellows," wealthy actor-producer at the Odeon, who has just returned from America to produce a new show, "Golden Girl." While at the florist's he meets Jenny, and can't get her out of his mind.

CHRISTINE BEAUMONT, one of his stars, a blonde, ravishing beauty, who wants to marry Toni and who is much cleverer off the stage than on it.

Toni Gerrard calls at the florist's shop and orders from Jenny a lovely bouquet of flowers, in which he encloses a costly bracelet, and leaves it at the theatre for Christine, before going on a trip to the provinces.

On his return Christine admits that she returned the flowers to the shop, as she was piqued at Toni overlooking her birthday. She assures Toni that she did not see the bracelet with the flowers, and assumes that it must have been returned to the shop. Toni accompanies her to Madame Fleurette's, where Christine practically accuses Jenny of having purloined the bracelet. Madame, however, tells Toni that she herself opened the parcel when it came back, and there was no bracelet with the flowers. Suspicion then falls on Christine's maid, Ada, but Christine will not hear of her dishonesty, and informs Toni that she is not a mere maid, but a poor relation.

Now read on:

CHAPTER IV.

TONI till now had watched the scene completely fascinated. He should by rights have been shocked at what was verging on a vulgar brawl. He wasn't. Christine's face had a new animation, an excitement which could not be accounted for merely by the loss of the bracelet. It was like a crack in the mask of her assumed behaviour, and Toni felt that he was on the edge of discovery.

It was her concrete accusation that brought him back to earth and roused him to action.

"Jenny didn't take it," Toni said quietly.

"Why do you think that?"

"My dear, I have a lot to do with people in my job. If Jenny ever took anything that didn't belong to her," he smiled soothingly and took Christine's arm. "I'll go out of business. I'll apprentice myself to a psychologist and try to learn something about human nature." He was struggling hard to bring the conversation back to normal. "That's all very well," objected Christine, "but—"

Jenny spoke slowly. "I didn't take your bracelet, Miss Beaumont. I can't prove it, of course. You'll just have to believe me."

"I'm sorry, but don't."

"Come, Christine," Toni cut her short. "It's gone, and that's that. Don't worry. I'll replace it, and this time you can have the fun of choosing it for yourself."

"But . . ." Christine's lovely, exciting row was being snatched from her hands.

"Come on," he said coaxingly. "We'll go right away now. Dixon is waiting for me, poor man, but he'll just have to go on waiting. I'm extremely sorry, Madame, that this should have happened."

"Ah, Monsieur—" Madame was

"I'm having a dinner party tomorrow night at my flat. Just to show there's no ill-feeling will you send Jenny to do the flowers?"

"Certainly, Monsieur. It is all very unfortunate. But perhaps Miss Beaumont will find the bracelet later on. Things get into such queer places." Valuable clients that must be appeased. A customer was a privileged person.

"You'll come, Jenny?" said Toni Gerrard.

"Yes, Mr. Gerrard."

"That's right. Now come along, Christine."

Christine remembered suddenly that she was a lady climbing the last steps of the ladder to security. "Well, Madame," she said sweetly, "I'm sorry if I've been rude—but you understand—a gift—one feels keenly about it. If it had been anything else I shouldn't have minded."

"I understand perfectly, Mademoiselle. Your suspicions were quite natural. I only wish I could clear up the mystery."

"You understand, too, don't you, Jenny?"

"I understand. Miss Beaumont," she said very low.

Toni moved uneasily. "Come on, Beautiful. Everything is all right." At the door he turned and gave them one of his much photographed smiles and led Christine into the waiting car.

Madame watched them go with a cynical smile. "The poor Mr. Gerrard. Mon dieu, what has he caught! Now come, Jenny, we must get off that order for Lady Blessington."

"Yes, Madam," said Jenny, dully, overwhelmed by her discoveries.

"Hurry. What are you dreaming about?"

"I'm sorry," said Jenny, and handed Madame the order book.

Mechanically she put together the flowers that Lady Blessington required. When they were ready Madame took them into the back room for the chauffeur who was to fetch them.

Alone in the shop, Jenny bent and picked the incriminating piece of glazed paper out of the basket. She folded it carefully and put it in the pocket of her overall. She could not explain why she did so. She had a feeling that her good name was threatened. Christine believed that she had stolen the bracelet. Madame could always make it appear so. This might be only a temporary lull in the storm. If Toni Gerrard were not there she would be helpless between the two women. Some how she felt the paper with Toni's pear-shaped blot of ink might protect her.

Jenny was right in thinking that she had not heard the last of the lost bracelet. That very evening, shortly before closing time, Christine came into the shop alone.

She waited till Jenny was disengaged.

"I just want a spray of mauve orchids," she said.

Jenny brought a tray for her to choose from. Christine bent over the flowers and said without raising her



"Oh!" She clutched the roses she was holding a little tighter.
"You're going to get married?"

weapons. Miss Beaumont," said Jenny in icy tones.

"Perhaps," Christine smiled unflattered at the thrust. "Or perhaps it's just a lot of practice. Good night." She walked out, her lovely head held very high, a pleased, excited smile curving her delicate mouth.

Jenny watched her go, trembling with impotent rage. She had been challenged. Very well, she would do battle even though it was foreign to her nature. "Any woman can fool Toni Gerrard." She wondered. For a moment she hated Christine blindly. Then she pulled herself together. She must be sensible. She had not suspected that she was capable of such violent feelings. Yet somehow she knew that the fight was on, that it was her job to

piece of young Duclos, who was making such a stir at the moment in the most expensive Parisian coterries. On the eve of his departure to America someone had persuaded Toni to put himself entirely in the hands of Pierre Duclos, assuring him that such an action would make it impossible for him to go wrong."

"Artistically or morally?" Toni had asked lightly. On receiving solemn assurance that it only applied to the former, and being busy and preoccupied, he had carelessly consented. He had not yet recovered from Duclos' bill or Duclos' handwork.

Rather timidly Jenny laid down her blue and silver flower boxes. She blinked at the room's vivid red lacquer, at the ebony table, at the painted glass,

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and I'm not sure that at the moment you haven't just cause." His voice had grown serious. "Honestly, Jenny," he went on, "I'm terribly sorry about what happened yesterday."

"It wasn't your fault."

"It was my fault. Damn silly idea concealing the jewels in the flowers." He chuckled. "Christine thought I'd got mixed in my role. I was cast for Faust and there I was playing Siebel."

Jenny laughed. "Well, they both came to bad ends."

"That's what you prophesy for me, is it?"

"I shouldn't be surprised."

"You're quite wrong, Jenny. I'm going to settle down . . ."

"Yes."

"And become a married man."

"Oh." She clutched the roses she was holding a little tighter. "You're going to get married?"

"Well, it's a secret. Jenny, but I'm going to try. Don't you think I'm wise?"

She steadied her voice and bent over the flowers. "It's too big a question for me. Mr. Gerrard."

"Jenny, I want to ask you something."

"Yes?"

"You know my public. I mean just the nice ordinary boys and girls who spend their honest shillings to see me. Do you think it would keep them away to know that Benedict is a married man?" Will Walters, my Press agent, goes white about the gills at the thought. He's built up a wonderful legend of me—the Lothario of Leicester Square. Marriage would knock it sky high. I'm asking you, Jenny, because you're the only person I know with unprejudiced views. All the others have got axes to grind. It can't possibly matter to you one way or another." He smiled. "And it's important to me, because you see if I got married and everyone stayed away from my theatre I couldn't support my wife!"

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Serial Story by MONICA EWER

voice or changing her expression, "You managed to get away with it this morning."

"I beg your pardon," said Jenny indignantly.

"You should. You didn't deceive me at all. I know quite well you've got my bracelet. Of course Toni believed you. Any woman can fool Toni! He was just born for that. He'd believe anything you like to tell him."

"I told him the truth," said Jenny.

Christine picked up a spray as if she were examining it and went on in the same low even tones. "You know it would be better to give me back my bracelet than to make an enemy of me. I'm not a nice enemy."

"I haven't got your bracelet."

"All right. Have it your own way. The battle's joined then." She handed the spray to Jenny. "Do that one up. Please. Charge it to Mr. Gerrard."

Jenny silently laid the orchids in their blue and silver box and handed them back.

"I warn you I love a fight," said Christine, "and I nearly always win."

"Perhaps that's because you're not very particular in your choice of

be the champion of Toni's happiness. She would hold a watching brief.

On Madame's instructions Jenny took red and cream roses with her for Toni Gerrard's dinner party, and Bert took her at top speed to Park Rd., where the very latest in luxury service flats defied the economic crisis.

Fletcher, the man servant, eyed her suspiciously. Young ladies were forever running after his master, and he allowed no one in without good credentials.

"I've come to do the flowers."

He opened the door grudgingly. "This way," he said, and led her into the dining-room. "You've got two rooms to do. When you've finished in here, go next door."

"Thank you."

Fletcher shut the door with decision. Absurd! As if he couldn't have arranged the flowers for a simple dinner-party. That sort of slip of a girl wasn't necessary. That was Mr. Gerrard all over. Always cluttering himself up with dependants.

Jenny surveyed the room a little dazed. It was the very latest master-

at-the-contorted furniture. Her roses seemed absurd in such a setting. She felt that the artist designer should have grown his own special flowers. If you could have crossed one of the more evil orchids with the cactus that only blooms once in a hundred years you might achieve the desired effect.

Jenny did not linger. No art that she knew could reconcile the flowers to their setting, so she moved into the next room. It was not so startling, but it was equally cold and impersonal. The stripped oak looked forbidding, the steel rimmed chairs reminded her of an operating-table. The painted walls were allowed no pictures, save over the mantelpiece a Marie Laurencin exquisitely aloof and inhuman.

The cream roses matched the paint exactly and fitted not too badly into their surroundings. Jenny was half-way through her task when the door opened and Toni stood before her.

"Bless you, Jenny, it was nice of you to come!" He spoke as if she were an honored guest at a party.

She smiled at him. "I had no alternative," she said.

"You do like to take me down, don't you? Well, I expect it's good for me. I couldn't support my wife!"

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Australia's "Misused" Cow

Spartacus Smith, in his recently published book of essays, deals with some characteristics of the Australian language, which are particularly interesting in view of the discussion at present being waged on our "So They Say" page.

DO Australians speak badly? That seems to be the crux of the problem. But as most of the people who say they do speak badly are English born, one is inclined to be sceptical about this condemnation.

It is bad, so much that Australians speak it so well that it has convinced me that the method of pronunciation of English in Australia is not so bad as it is in England itself, where there is a vast range of mispronunciation extending from "beah" and "theah" of high society to the "Wot aboot it?" of the bar-room.

But we in this country have developed the habit of twisting the phraseology so that plain, simple words mean something different from what they actually say.

He quotes as a typical example, the reply "Not too bad" to the query "How are you?" "It means practically the opposite to what it reads: the spoken meaning being an extraordinary inversion," says Mr. Smith.

Much the same thing is happening in Australia, though in a much lesser degree. Terms are already being used which completely baffle visitors from overseas.

Changed Meanings

AS Spartacus Smith says, "We are accustomed, at times, to have visitors

SHORT . . . REVIEWS

"Love and Let Love." George Weden. The hero of this story is Anthony Lapole, a curate who vacates his post in Glasgow to take over an English parish. Conternation reigned among the ladies of Glasgow at his departure. In England Anthony became equally popular with his flock among his admirers being the daughter of the patron of the parish, and a schoolmistress. Hearing that Anthony had accidentally met the schoolmistress on the Continent, his other admirer used her influence with her father to have the teacher dismissed from her post. An altogether incredible story of love and jealousy. (Hutchinson. 7/6.)

"City of the Rose." Anthony Richardson. The plot is built round the visit of Charles Rankin to the city of Carlsbad. Fond of adventure, Rankin found more of it in Carlsbad than he bargained for. His hairbreadth escapes from assassination, train accidents and duels end by his losing his heart to the daughter of a noble. The book is quite a thriller (John Lane. 7/6.)

"Strap Hangers." Norah C. James. This book deals with the daily routine of the lives of six passengers of a metropolitan railway service over a period of twelve months. The passengers chosen as characters are a guard, an artist, a traveller, two girl clerks and a charwoman. It is an interesting character study, and very readable because of its unorthodoxy. (Duckworth. 7/6.)

"By Misadventure." Alan Brock. A cynical story of married life which will provide the reader with much amusement. It deals with the career of a hen-pecked husband, like the proverbial worm, turned in the end. A series of accidents followed, ending in the death by misadventure of the nagging wife. The story is far-fetched, but bright and humorous. (Ivor Nicholson and Watson. 7/6.)

"High Nile." A story of Egypt, from the days of Kitchener up till a decade ago, by an unknown author. The work deals with the changes that have come over the country in that period, as viewed by a Britisher, and touches on the work in that country of historic figures such as Kitchener, Colvin, Cromer, and others. (Grant Richards. 7/6.)

"The One Sane Man." Francis Becking. This story deals with the years to come. A crazy old Swiss professor discovers a scientific method of controlling the vagaries of the weather. The One Sane Man employed the professor, in conjunction with six criminals, to kidnap a number of financiers. They then submit a plan to the League of Nations, and they threaten if it is not adopted they will inflict on all the capital cities of the world a month of fog or storm. The scheme fails; however, when the professor turns his attention to the less serious matter of falling in love with the daughter of the One Sane Man. (Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6.)

H. G. Holmwood says: For picking or staining use Holmwood's Pure Malt Vinegar. It is a brew of excellent quality. ***

"WHY NOT?"

An Indiscreet Book

The publication of Viola Hall's book, "Why Not?", has, fortunately for her, gained so much publicity that it is sure of a large circulation. The authoress is the wife of Dr. Norman Hall, the well-known Australian specialist. She is also the mother of two very beautiful little girls.

THE reason for all the discussion about the book is that it gives away "State secrets" about society and tells all sorts of little incidents about important personalities such as King Edward and many others which Australians will know or enjoy reading about.

We all have a peculiar interest in the private lives of well-known people which is hard to describe, and although we are quite frank and unashamed in our greed for "human interest" these days, it is not so long ago that such tit-bits of private life were considered "vulgar, below-stairs gossip." Viola Hall's book is certainly indiscreet enough to be amusing, with a wit and humor to excuse the telling of the secrets which her mother, Mrs. Ralph Banks, was so eager to preserve that she even tried to stop the publication of her daughter's "indiscretions" by law.

However, the book was published, and if you ask the authoress why she wrote it she will answer "Why Not?" which is the title of her book.

Rayner Hoff Book

NOVEMBER in course of preparation is a comprehensive production embracing the works of Rayner Hoff, the eminent sculptor. The edition is printed by hand on an Albion hand-press, dated 1874, in Sydney, by E. H. Stee, and is limited to one hundred and fifty numbered copies, each signed by the sculptor, printer, and authors.

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"Graft" is the word we are thinking of. In Australia it means to work, but in any other English-speaking country it means "fraud." Curiously enough, it is used in both senses here, and it frequently leads to confusion among visitors.

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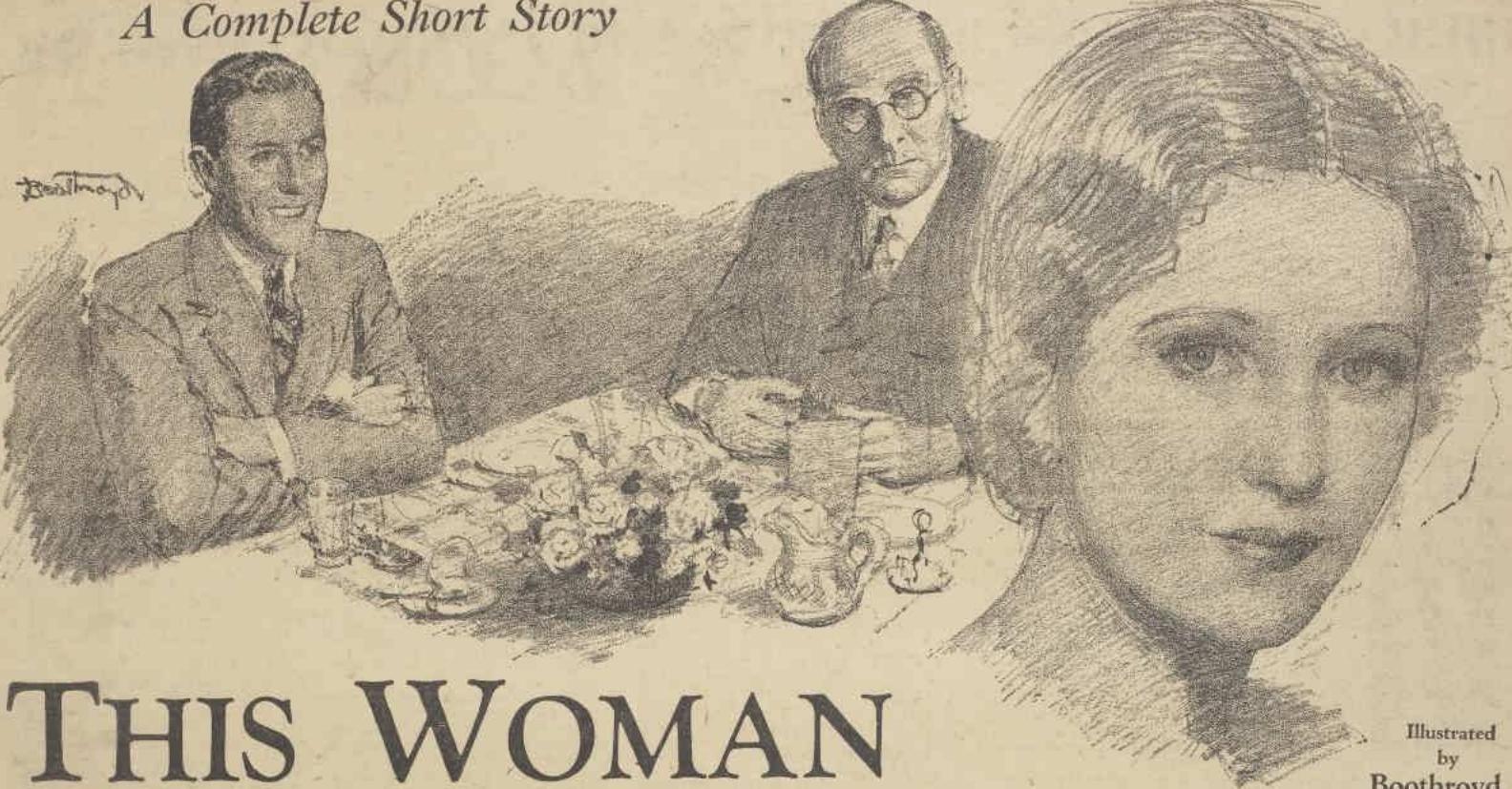
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A Complete Short Story



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THIS WOMAN Business

A story of a very young man who thought he had no use at all for girls



AT King's Cross station, Edward Charles Lathom, better known to intimates as Lanky, fortified himself for the journey of some forty miles that lay between him and his ancestral home. It was a hot day at the end of July, and a couple of lemon squashes in the refreshment room seemed a scheme. Then he bought the "Motor Car," the "Light Car," the "Motor Cycle." These to be taken neat. Thirdly, a tin of coffee, lest by any mishap a strong man might faint by the way. Lastly—"and please wrap them up well, so that they don't show"—a big bunch of roses for his mother.

For that, as Edward Charles Lathom's eighteen years' experience had taught him, was the idiotic way that women were made. It wasn't that, at "Hollins Court," the master hadn't more flowers than she could possibly make use of. They wasted their sweetness on the desert air, like the what d'you call it in Gray's "Elegy." But a gift of flowers never failed to rouse her to pleasurable excitement.

"My dear Eddie," she would say. (Yes, that was what they called him at home.) "My dear Eddie, how perfectly charming of you!" While all the time, under her very nose, roses twice the size of these poor blooms, the product of the Almighty and her own head gardener, would be calling to her for favorable attention.

Edward Charles Lathom avoided the carriages with pretty girls in them as carefully as he avoided the tables. He'd no use at all for girls. His only sister was married now, and lived in Devonshire. But he bitterly remembered how, in other holidays, she had disturbed his peace by bringing along school friends, even more disgustingly girlish than herself. They had wanted to play tennis instead of cricket, and to be rowed on the lake instead of ratting with a couple of terriers in a barn. They had made him tired. According to E. C. Lathom, the woman business was simply fooling.

The train started. Edward turned the leaves of his papers. Gosh! but he meant to make use of every single minute of the eight weeks that the scholastic authorities of Frensham's considered necessary for the recuperation of the earnest young students in their charge. Perhaps Tony, his brother, would lend him Mary, his motor bike. Now that his people had given him a two-seater for his twenty-

first birthday, it was the least that the blighter could do.

Edward planned what he would do with Mary once he had pulled her to bits and put her together again—70 m.p.h. the old geyser would do without a murmur. Better than a car any day! If you had a car, there was always a sweet young thing hinting that you might take her out in it!

Edward's eyelids drooped. The warm afternoon, and the lemon squashes were getting in their good work. He was drowsily content. School was a darned good place, of course, especially when one was in the Sixth and the First Eleven, and therefore a blood.

But there was something to be said for the activities of home even though his mother would call him Eddie, and his father didn't pay him the respect to which he was accustomed. And there would be no Greek for another two months, and if only Tony would lend him his motor bike—his motor bike.

Edward Charles Lathom slept.

HE woke up with a start. The other people who had been in the carriage had departed. The sun had a mid-afternoon look to it. With an uncomfortable premonition that was to prove all too well founded, he pulled out his watch. It was a quarter to four. The train had been due at Hollins station at 3.29, which meant that he was now well on his way beyond it. Monkton St. Abbots—that would be the next stop. It was four miles from "Hollins Court," and, of course, the car would still be at the station the train had just passed.

Edward Charles Lathom said a few things with a certain pungent intensity. There would be nothing for it but legging the four miles in this mid-summer heat. Monkton St. Abbots hadn't even a telephone. Why there was a station there at all, was a problem that nobody had ever been able to solve. The population consisted of a dog, a woman with a baby, two old men, and another dog. The local industry was milk, and again milk.

THE train ambled on. From the configuration of the country Edward saw that his fears were realised. Actually, he could discern in the distance the chimneys of his home. He grinned ruefully. He wondered what the other fellows, homeward bound as he was, would have said. They would have ragged him unmercifully. And here, at last, was Monkton St. Abbots.

As he swung the door open he saw that most of the population seemed to be on the platform, which gave it quite a festive appearance. He left his luggage in the parcels office, and roses in hand, prepared to walk. He was philosophically inclined. The long winding road between the pine woods was steady at any rate. A breeze had sprung up. He pulled his cap more firmly on his head, and started.

But country roads in mid-July are not the best places in the world for walking along. Four miles isn't far for a motor bike. It's quite a long way on one's feet. Opulent cars passed him and enveloped him in dust. Gangs of cyclists came straight at him, and expected him to dodge out of their way.

Edward was dusty, dishevelled and disillusioned, the roses had shed their tissue paper, and some of their petals, when quite suddenly, round a bend in the road, he came on a tea-house.

The tea-house hadn't been there before. That he knew. It must have been recently erected to cope with the holiday rush. It was one of those bungalow things with a wide verandah, and sunblinds and flowering plants. Under a big elm table had been set, and blue and white cloths fluttered in the breeze. There was a sign which Edward rather liked because there was no nonsense about it: "Phoebe Macpherson's Tea-house."

Edward stopped. This place might have been put here just for him. A pessimist might have argued that the tea would be cold, the milk sour, and the cakes stale. Edward was no pessimist. The elm, he thought, would afford shade to the weary, and a chair, to the wayfarer. He turned in at the gate, and rang the bell.

He little knew as he did so, that he was invoking Fate. A moment later, a girl—The Girl—appeared.

Yes, that's what one would call her. She wasn't an ordinary girl. Not one

"Looks a nice girl," said Sir Ronald. "And she's certainly very pretty. Funny the sort of jobs ladies take up nowadays."

and missed it somehow. I went on to Monkton St. Abbots."

"Oh! Then you must be Eddie Lathom."

THIS time Edward didn't mind the Eddie. From her lips, it sounded simply topping. He opened his mouth in surprise.

"How did you know that?"

For some reason or other, the girl blushed.

"Oh, everybody said that you were coming home," she said vaguely. "And then I recognised the cap. My brother was at Frensham's, R. E. Macpherson, you know."

"The Macpherson?" repeated Edward in an awed whisper. "Why, I used to tag for him."

"Did you? How extraordinary! That makes me feel as if we ought to be friends," said the girl, holding out her hand.

Edward took it in an ecstasy. No longer was he a woman-hater. He was blessing that train for taking him a station too far. He was blessing this girl. She certainly was the Sweetest, the Loveliest, the Kindest, the Nicest

"I shan't give you tea after all," said Phoebe Macpherson, speaking rather quickly. "I shall give you lemonade with a fat lump of ice in it. Yes, and cucumber sandwiches, and strawberries and cream to follow. How does that sound to you?"

"Like Heaven," said Edward. And he meant it.

By PHYLLIS HAMBLETON

of the tennis-playing, rat-funking mob his sister had been so keen about. She was wonderful—like that Aphrodite creature who had risen from the foam. She was the loveliest thing that ever happened.

Nor was this all such an exaggeration as one might think. Certainly Phoebe Macpherson was very pretty. She was more than common tall, with deep blue eyes and sun-kissed hair with a crinkle to it. She wore a green overall that left bare her round white arms. Her feet were slender, and her ankles encased in silk.

"Good afternoon. Did you want tea?" she said, and her voice to the dazed Edward was as sweet as the sound of "Played!" from the pavilion when one has scored a boundary.

"Er—yes, please," he answered idiotically.

"There's a table under the elm-tree," she suggested to him. Dumbly he walked towards it. The girl in green followed him. Then she said, in that slow, delicious voice of hers:

"You look most awfully hot."

"Being walking," mumbled Edward.

"I meant to get out at Hollins station

when Edward was received with acclamation into the bosom of his loving family. Unfortunately there were no roses for Lady Lathom. They were adoring Phoebe Macpherson's ten-house instead. None the less they were all delighted to see him. It wasn't till dinner that Eddie—as E. C. Lathom, at home, may surely be called—perceived that there were two or three crumpled roseleaves in the family bliss.

Tony first of all. Tony's twenty-first birthday seemed to have added at least six years on his age. He was gloomy and superior. When Eddie made tentative suggestions concerning Mary, the motor bike, he only said brutally:

"Lend her? Not half. I remember you mislaid half her guts last time you pulled her to pieces." He ate nothing very ostentatiously, crumbled his bread, and emitted heavy sighs. Even Sir Ronald noticed it.

"What the devil's the matter with you?"

"Nothing, sir, nothing."

"He rather looks as if he might have fallen in love," said Eddie, who was

still smarting for Tony's lack of brotherliness about Mary.

To his intense surprise, Tony suddenly blushed scarlet. He swallowed a glass of burgundy, and choked over it. Eddie grinned beatifically. Then he remembered he was in the same parlous condition. He, too, heaved a sigh, and refused the charlotte russe.

"Look here," said their infuriated father; "if you are both going to make noises like the choked-up exhaust of a beastly cheap American car, you can make them somewhere else!"

"Eddie, dear, I ordered charlotte russe on purpose for you. It used to be your favorite sweet," interpolated his mother.

"I don't feel like it somehow, mister," said Eddie.

Lady Lathom had also refused the charlotte russe.

"I must admit I'm very worried myself," she said plaintively. "Your father laughs at me, of course. That's only to be expected. Miss Hanwell, the most excellent secretary of the Aid to Aircraft Society, has just resigned. She's going to be married in September, and I can't find another secretary anywhere."

"So much the better," said her husband brutally. "Perhaps the beastly society will fade away."

"That's just like you, Ronald. You have no sympathy at all. As president of our local branch, let me tell you—"

She did tell them—at length. It was some time before her jaded family found it possible to escape. When they did so, Tony was heard hooting furiously down the drive in his two-seater; Lady Lathom was telephoning as furiously to people who might be misguided enough to take upon themselves the onerous duties of secretary to the Aid to Aircraft Society.

Eddie retired to the terrace to smoke a cigarette. He felt most poetic. He'd never noticed before how rippling the stars were—just like Phoebe's eyes. This was the real thing—the love that only comes once in a lifetime. Next term he would be leaving school. He wondered if she'd wait for him. After all, she couldn't be more than twenty-one or two, and everybody said that he was old for his age, and he had to shave at least twice a week. Yet, and she'd been awfully sweet to him. She'd said that he could come any time he liked to see her, as long as it wasn't after six o'clock.

"I suppose you're busy getting supper and things in the evenings?" he had asked.

She had blushed faintly.

"Oh, no," she had answered. "We close at seven."

So she must have other chores then. It was perfectly wicked to think that a lovely girl like this had to work. Eddie yearned to do something to help her, if it was only scrubbing floors or carrying trays. There wasn't anything in the world he wouldn't have done for her. By Jove, there wasn't!

He smoked his cigarette—not to the usual tune of rattling averages and petrol, but to the memory of a girl with curly hair who wore a green overall.

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THIS Woman BUSINESS

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shining baby pens was saved with the utmost difficulty.

"I say, Phoebe!" he said excitedly. "Doesn't something strike you?"

"Absolutely nothing," said Phoebe, lifting innocent eyes to his. "What should strike me?"

"Only that now is the time to be Mischel—well, whatever it is you call it. I'll arrange for them to meet you accidentally, so to speak."

"Oh, Eddie, do you really think you could?"

"Of course I can. We'll try the Governor first. I'll bring him along here and—By Jove! What was it you said you were giving those blighters for lunch?"

"Roast duck, orange salad, creme de

"But that's exactly what father adores! Roast duck! Mother won't let him have it. She says it gives him indigestion. He'd run a mile for roast duck! Look here! Arrange a lunch just like you have to-day, and I'll guarantee to bring the old buffer to eat it. The rest will be as easy as falling off a log. After that we can cope with the mater. She's a good sort really."

"I know she is. Eddie, if you do this for me, I'll owe you an unending debt of gratitude," said Phoebe earnestly.

Eddie gulped. Then he turned crimson.

"I'll remind you of that remark some day," he said with emphasis.

"Well, Edward, my boy," said Sir Ronald grimly, "you are even more of a fool than you look!"

Father and son were standing by a car that had peacefully gone to sleep by the roadside. It had taken Eddie endless abstruse calculations to decide the quantity of petrol necessary for the breakdown to occur at an appropriate spot. He had managed it more successfully than a somewhat cynical master would have considered possible.

"The Governor would go down at the first shot," said Eddie, pursuing the theme. "He simply loves pretty girls."

"I've long wanted to know him," said Phoebe. "I think he looks perfectly sweet."

Suddenly Eddie slid down from his perch—so suddenly that the bowl of

I T was raining—as it only can rain in August. A steady deluge, with heavy, drunken foliage overhead, cascading drops that ran down inside one's coat collar

Sir Ronald got one just at that moment. He emitted a word which, as Justice of the Peace, should have been beneath his dignity.

"Why you couldn't have seen that there was enough juice to the internal bus before you started. I can't imagine. And it's just lunch time, and I don't expect there's a garage within the next three miles."

"Perhaps another car will come along," suggested Eddie, well aware that this contingency was more than improbable.

"Along this lane! Are you mad, Edward? You're the only fool who'd risk tearing his tyres to ribbons as you've done this morning! And the high road lies another half-mile farther on. And, even there—"

Eddie interrupted him.

"By Jove, Pater," he said; "that reminds me. There's a new tea-place along there. They keep petrol, too. Let's leg it along there, and get some."

"You can," said Sir Ronald. "I'll stay with the car."

For a moment it looked as if once more the plans of mice and men were to gang agley. But Eddie recovered himself.

"There might be a chance of a bit of lunch there, too," he said diffidently.

"Lunch! Do you think I'd trust a roadside tea-shop to give me lunch?"

"Oh, come, sir! I've heard it's quite a decent place."

Sir Ronald hesitated. While he did so, his son's fate hung on a thread. But the thought of spending the next half-hour under the dripping hood of the car, watching the windscreen becoming more and more blurred, caused him to shudder. He was one of the old school who think anything better than inaction. Moreover, he was growing hungry. He turned up his coat-collar and pulled his cap over his forehead.

"Come on, then," he said gruffly.

Eddie, resisting an inclination to



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HISTORY REPEATS itself, with the exception of your own private history, which the neighbors repeat.

dance a hornpipe, came on. They walked down the lane in silence. In ten minutes they reached the high road, and there, sure enough, directly facing them, was the tea-house.

"It doesn't look quite as bad as it might be," said Sir Ronald, still, however, thoroughly disgruntled. "But there will be nothing but ham and eggs, you can depend on it. Particularly to-day, when it's raining cats and dogs. And the kitchen fire will be out, and we'll have to wait an hour for the kettle to boil. And the ham will be American and the eggs Danish."

"Oh, I say, pater, it mayn't be as bad as all that," said Eddie.

"You mark my words, it will be," said his father.

Certainly the tea-house didn't look its best in the rain. There were no blue and white tablecloths fluttering in the breeze. But when they rang the bell, Phoebe answering it, looked as lovely as ever.

Sir Ronald softened a little as he saw her.

"Good morning," he said in a slightly mollified tone. "Could you—ah, I suppose you couldn't give us lunch?"

"Oh, yes!" said Phoebe brightly. "Immediately. Please come in."

They went in. The tea-room was looking its most attractive. In the fireplace burnt just the size of fire that is most acceptable on a wet, cold day in August.

"I'm afraid we haven't much choice," began Phoebe.

"I never expected you would have," said Sir Ronald, casting a glance at his son.

"But we can give you roast duck—"

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DON'T CRY OVER THE ONIONS!

Lower's Fresh Egg Machine and Potato Peeler

By L. W. LOWER,

Australia's Foremost Humorist

Illustrated
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I SAID to Marconi only the other day, we inventors don't get any kudos for our inventions. And I love kudos. With a dash of tomato sauce they are delicious.

Who invented the catapult for putting the cat out at night? I did. Has anybody ever come up and patted me on the back for it? No!

Then there was the machine I patented for beating up the hen in order to get positively fresh egg drinks. There was another machine which cried for you while you peeled the onions. Then there was Perkins' Ponderous and Perfectly Puerto Potato Peeler. The potatoes were simply inserted one at a time and the peel went one way, the eyes went another way, pieces of your finger-nails went another way and all you had to do was to find the potato.

I got the idea for one of my best inventions while hunting grizzly bears in the Rockies far away. The grizzly bear is so called because it is very sinewy. It has a habit of sinew before you see him. (Oh Mr. Lower!) Its nostrils are placed so far apart that it is bandy-legged and has to kick up to anything it wants to smell. Get on with your work.

Yes. I invented a robot for taking the blame for cigarette burns in carpets. And do you know what it did?

I INVENTED A GUN TO SHELL PEAS WITH! Good graziers!

HERE among my test tubes and retorts—a test tube is a thing used by international cricketers and a retort is

a back answer. I won't be so technical in future—I carry out experiments which stagger the imagination. And if you've ever had an imagination with the staggers, you can sympathise with me.

And what about the rubber rubbish tin—the dustman's bane? They can kick it until they're black in the face and it still resembles a rubbish tin.

I'd have made a fortune out of that if it wasn't for the objections raised by the Sports Committee of the Rubbish Carters' Union.

Did I ever tell you about the luminous sun-dial which could be lit up at night? Wasn't it me who invented (I'm a minute). That "me" should be "I". Who's writing this stuff, anyhow? All right! All right! . . . who invented that priceless boon to the proletarian, the alarm clock that won't go off? Need I ask. And the indestructible conversation jolly. And the rubber jujube. And water wings for teetotalers.

Bah! What have I got out of it? Nothing but obloquy. (What!) I said obloquy, and if there's a woman here who wants to deny it, let her stand forth.

In collaboration with Mr. Edison some years ago, I produced a keyhole that would follow the key about and pounce on it. We sold thousands of them.

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I WAS responsible for the installation of the hundreds and thousands counter in one of our wealthy Clubs. Elastic blankets for boarding houses was another of my triumphs. My laboratory assistant has recently perfected an electric rat catcher. It rings a bell

and wakes the wife who rushes into the kitchen. While wife is in kitchen wondering why no rat in trap, husband who has rung bell from front gate has gone to bed and is so asleep that he has been there for hours to great astonishment of wife of the first part heretofore mentioned.

I was the first man to prove that perpetual commotion was not only possible, but almost unavoidable.

Why I haven't been knighted has got me beat. That's the worst of these governments. Class biased, that's what they are. Although I was class biased myself at school. Always stuck at the bottom of the class. In the circumstances, one can't complain.

For the past eleven years I have been working on an apparatus to shut the wife up when I come home late. I think I have overestimated my inventive powers. There are some things which are beyond human ingenuity.

Excuse me for a week. I think my mortar and pestle is boiling over.



Lower's invention for cutting tops off eggs (patent applied for).

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By DR. F. V. McADAM

IN this article the question of the elimination of losers is further discussed, and before leading trumps it often becomes necessary to take a finesse, so that a losing card or cards from either hand may be discarded on a winner. The further necessity for deferring the trump lead also arises when a first round finesse of trumps has to be taken, and to do this the trump lead

By ELY CULBERTSON: Article IX

Trump Management

THERE is one other important case where the declarer cannot afford to draw trumps, and this occurs when the immediate lead of trumps is bound to put his opponents in the lead and enable them to cash other tricks. If some of these losing tricks can be discarded immediately on winning cards in Dummy, they should be discarded before the opponents are given the lead. The following is a simple example:

S: J 8 7 8

H: 9 8 7

D: K Q J 3

C: A 5

S: 6 5 2	N: 8	S: A
H: K Q J 5	W: E	H: 10 6 2
D: 10 8 6 4	S: 8	D: 9 7 5
C: J 8		C: Q 10 9 7 8 2

S: K Q 10 9 4

H: A 4 3

D: A 2

C: K 4 3

Here the Declarer is playing the hand in a spade contract, and the opening lead is the King of hearts. Declarer, of course, wins with the Ace, and he should now lead the Ace of diamonds.

It is apparent that if he leads the King of spades, the opponents will win the trick with the Ace and take two heart tricks immediately. It is possible that one or both of the losing hearts can be discarded on the long diamond suit in Dummy before the opponents can get in the lead.

Therefore, Declarer takes three rounds of diamonds, discarding one of his hearts. He knows that the fourth diamond cannot be played without one of the opponents ruffing, as they hold but one more card in that suit. However since his heart is a loser in any event

he might as well lead the last diamond and discard the heart. As a matter of fact, the play gains him an additional trick, as West is forced to follow suit and East's only trump is the Ace. Whether or not East ruffs, the only trick he can get is his high trump, so the Declarer succeeds in making a small Slam in spades.

SOMETIMES it is necessary to take a finesse in order to get rid of a loser. Even though this finesse may cost an additional trick, if it offers the only hope of making the contract it should be taken.

S: K 10 9 3	N: 8	S: J 8 7 6 4
H: A	W: E	H: 9 2
D: A K Q 2	S: 8	D: J 10 4
C: Q 10 8 4		C: K J 7 5

Here South is playing a contract of three hearts, and the first tricks are won by West's Ace-King-Queen of diamonds. Now a club is led and South wins the trick with the Ace. He sees that a heart lead will put the opponents in the lead immediately and that they will be able to cash a club for the setting trick.

His only hope lies in the spade suit. He should lead the five of spades and finesse the Queen, and if it succeeds, lead the Ace of spades and discard his losing club. Of course, if the finesse loses, he will be down two tricks, but the difference between making the contract and going down one is greater than the difference between going down one and going down two.

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An Editorial

MARCH 24, 1934.

IN THE STREETS OF POVERTY

IN the forefront of the things for which this paper stands, as the voice of Australian women, is decent housing.

We will never cease to arraign governments and city councils while slums disfigure the landscape, and slum houses warp the bodies and minds of the families who live in them.

Who are these families? They are fellow-Australian citizens. A few ne'er-do-wells maybe. But mostly genuine victims of hard times and depressed trade conditions.

Every country town has its hovels. Every capital city has its blighted districts. The coalfields of New South Wales reveal stark poverty on a tragical scale.

These slum dwellings are not due to any great housing shortage. They are due to the fact that there are thousands of families in Australia who are living on a standard far below even the basic wage standard. They have been forced to make squalid permanent homes out of the "temporary" unemployed camps and hovels in which they took refuge during the depression.

In many cases poverty has resulted in perfectly good dwellings going to rack and ruin; so that one-time pleasant suburban streets have become almost slums.

Australians can never hope to recapture the carefree spirit of past days of prosperity until the slums of Depressionville have been swept away, and until the spectre of squalid poverty has been banished from the poorer suburban streets.

It is our boast to the rest of the world that Australia is the best country of all to live in. Other people make the same boast. But we want to go further, and be able to say that our claim is true of every individual Australian home.

THE EDITOR.

LYRICS OF LIFE

ASH

Burn on, thou barren log.
Is this the end, the futile end
Of all your towering strength?
And is it so that we shall fall
Burnt by your youth's fire to the grey of ash?

I am no supplicant for years of fame,
I only ask
For time and strength to work.

You grew, unconscious of the things
That builded you and shaped you
To a thing of beauty.
And now you burn, impotent, to give us warmth.

So be it. We end in ash
But for the little while we live
Let us but laugh and dream
Clean as your forests grew
Before the flames were fed
Or age and rot took hold of you.

—P.D.B.

VISITING IN THE COUNTRY
THOUGHT I'D MAKE A SPLASH IN THE VILLAGE
WITH MY NEW SHOES

MY NEW COAT AND HAT



* BUT I HAD FORGOTTEN THE STATE OF COUNTRY ROADS AND IT WAS NOT!



WHO MADE THE SPLASH



JANE'S JOURNAL — The Diary of a Bright Young Thing.

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POINTS OF VIEW

"England Needs Brains," Says Shaw

BERNARD SHAW is now holidaying in New Zealand with Mrs. Shaw, and everybody is hoping he will soon come to Australia.

However, in the meanwhile, some crumbs of Shawian wit have been wafted across the Tasman to whet our mental appetites.

Perhaps the most typical of Shaw's remarks on landing at Auckland was when he commented on the small number of Pressmen who were there to interview him.

"Have you only two newspapers?" he asked. "On the contrary," someone explained, "we have more newspapers in proportion to the population than any other country."

"But you have no population," said Shaw. He scolded the Dominion for trying to be the world's dairymaid, and told them not to try to stuff their butter down other people's throats. Perhaps when he comes to Australia he will tell us not to wrap our wool round other people's backs. His idea is that we should export brains, not dairy produce and farm goods and so forth. He adds that England is badly in need of brains. And there is something in what he says.

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Shark Baiters

NEWCASTLE City Council's campaign against "shark baiters" is one which every Australian beach council should follow, for there is hardly a portion of the Australian coast which is not liable to attack from sharks.

The "shark baiter" is the swimmer who goes out too far. Every beach has them. They swim and float a hundred yards beyond the surf, and must necessarily attract cruising sharks. Girls are frequently daring as men in this respect.

A beach innovation which should also be subject to regulation is the rubber air-float.

Small children and people who are not good swimmers will venture out too far with these floats, and when a wave sweeps it out of their grasp they are in danger of drowning.

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Bradman Goes South

BRADMAN has now gone south and Adelaide has become his home. He has wound-up his affairs in New South Wales, he has said good-bye to his friends, and has set up in business in South Australia.

Don says he is looking forward to life in his new home, both from a cricket and a business point of view.

Adelaide is no doubt proud of its new citizen and will do everything to make him comfortable. The City Fathers might even rename the city Bradelaide.

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New Children

ON this page is an article on the "New Children of Europe." It is of great interest in view of the changes which are taking place in educational systems everywhere.

While one need not agree with the principles of Nazism or Communism, one cannot help admiring some of their ideas on the subject of child education.

Discipline is necessary for young people. They should be encouraged to train the mind and the body, so that when they are grown up they will continue to do this of their own free will.

In Australia this is fully recognised, but our system of education does not yet permit the popularising of these ideals.

The authorities who control our education system have not struck the happy medium between forcing children to do a thing, and thus making them hate it, and allowing them too much freedom.

His Excellency... The Gardener

IT is rather beautiful to hear Sir Philip Game, Governor of New South Wales, say that he wants to be mistaken for a gardener.

It is his simple and charming ambition to work among the flowers and to kneel in the green grass with his hands in the soil.

To ordinary people the life of a Governor must sometimes appear as the criterion of worldly success and happiness, but apparently there is one Governor who would rather be a gardener—and we can all be gardeners.

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Japan's Secret

WHAT is the secret of Japanese trade supremacy? Sir Herbert Austin, writing to "The Times" (29/11/33), quotes a letter from a friend to the effect that the idea that Japanese workers live at a low standard is without foundation.

A Lancashire delegation recently visited Japan. They expected to find sweating and slavery, but instead found the textile workers engaged often no longer than eight hours.

There is an idea that the depreciated ex-



A RECENT PICTURE from Germany of some typical German boys setting out on a route march from their camp. Every boy and girl is exhorted to discipline the body and become physically hard. See Gladys Owen's article on the new children of Europe, next column.

change explains Japan's trade superiority.

But the real secret of Japan's commercial success was openly proclaimed by Viscount Ishii at the World Economic Conference.

It is free credit in the form of subsidy, but differs from subsidies as we know them in Australia in that no one is taxed to pay it. It is charged against the national account.—T. A. GREENWOOD.

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Slaves to Fashion

WHO are the slaves of fashion, men or women? Women have the reputation, but it is men who are really the slaves.

Consider the recent heat-wave. Millions of men have been walking around in thick suits, weighing anything up to 7lb. while women's clothes weigh less than 3lb.

Why is it that Australian men wear the same clothes in winter as they do in summer? Why is there such a strong prejudice against tropical suits? The answer to these questions is that Australian men are slaves of fashion. So much so that they are afraid to change one little thing in their sartorial make-up for fear of being thought silly—"Impatient."

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New Children of Europe

Nazi and Russian Influence

By GLADYS S. OWEN

Who was the learned educator of children who said he was content if he might have their training in his hands until the age of seven? After these vital years, he did not care how their education was directed for the ground was prepared and the seeds were sown!

Both the Russian rulers and the new regime in Germany have laid this counsel to heart according to recent accounts which have reached us.

In Russia the community ideals are all-powerful in education. Children must live together, work together, play together. Team work in games is honored and the individual prowess is ignored, study groups are encouraged, and the desire for individual possessions and private worship is sternly discouraged. It is hoped that the young communist peasant and citizen will then grow up to respect and care for community and government prosperity in his country as eagerly as his father and grandfather clung to individual and personal possessions.

There is much to be praised in this community spirit, but it may be carried to extremes. The complete absence of privacy, of liberty for individual pursuits, studies and games, may have its reactions. A recent questionnaire circulated through Moscow schools, asked the pupils their ideal plans for holidays, and the answers were revealing: "To sit at home quietly," "to sit by myself in a corner." In the holiday camps where all recreation is organised in large groups, a heartfelt cry is raised, "I am delighted when it rains because then we can have a bit of freedom."

ANOTHER interesting development is that the authorities, quick to see where they have made a mistake, have restored to the school and nursery shelves all the fairy stories and fabulous tales which were sternly banned until a year ago. Like the little Graderids, the Russian children had been forbidden Cinderella and the Sleeping Beauty because of the unduly flattering light in which Royalty was shown, and the regrettable desire of beautiful youths and maidens to marry into Princely Circles! Robinson Crusoe was also banned as encouraging the undesirable British ideas of conquest and colonisation. Now, however, a change has come and new translations of Grimm, Hans Andersen and childhood's classics are being commissioned eagerly.

THE bookshelf in the German nursery, however, received this Christmas the most interesting propaganda fairy tale which I have yet seen. "Children, what do you know of the Leader?" turns Nazi ideals into the bed-time story for every Brown Shirt Home. It begins with the history of their land seen through Nazi eyes, and goes on to tell Hitler's own life, his struggles, his imprisonment, and the gradual rise of his followers.

FINALLY the tale ends upon a note of exhortation. How the children, too, can help their country. "The Hitler Youth march and train. He who wishes to be a good storm trooper must be, as a boy, keen, tough, and hard. The Hitler Youth make excursions together, and learn to know and love their Fatherland. On these journeys they help each other as good comrades, and thus bring honor to the brown shirt, which they are allowed to wear like grown-ups." Girls also can help, declare the authors. "And what do the girls do? Well, the Hitler Girls also train and march so that they will be strong. Like the Hitler Lads they, too, learn the vigorous songs and marches, which remind Germans at all times that they are united. On excursions they help each other, and learn much that will be of use to them later on when they are housewives. Later on they will wish to keep their houses clean, to cook well, and to sew! But, above all, they learn to be submissive and yielding. And that, as you know, children, is very important."

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People in Courthouses

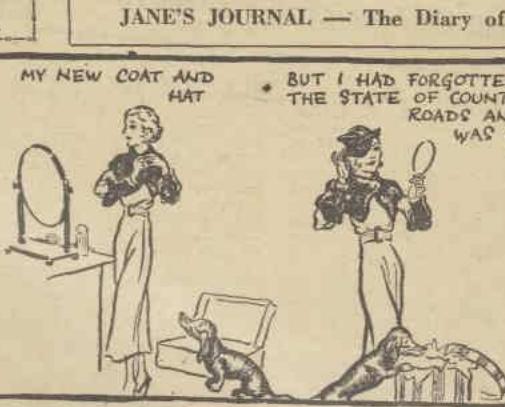
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FRONT Page STUFF

By ...
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MADELINE HALSE, who was little, lissome, and de luxe, did not like to look round, but she could see behind her by glancing in shop windows, and she spoke to Arthur now with bated breath.

"If we are going to be followed again, I'm going to leave you!"

Arthur limped grimly on. If it had not been that he liked to be with Madeline he would have been at home now resting his sprained ankle, but lovers lean towards heroics.

"When I am wearing a new frock," said Madeline, "I expect to be stared at. I don't mind attracting attention, but I am not going to walk with any man who is afraid to pass a policeman."

"A little womanly sympathy for the man would not be out of place," said Arthur.

"Well, please don't come to Victoria," said Madeline, "to see me off to-night. They'll only think you are trying to escape again."

She took another quick look in a window.

"They're closing in. That settles it."

Arthur watched dumbly whilst she hopped a bus. He saw the driver stop with that devotion to duty shown only by one who suddenly beholds a pleasure in his duty. As Madeline swung on he glimpsed a silken leg beneath a tailor-made costume; she was assisted by an over-chivalrous conductor who practically dusted the seat before she sat down, and now that she had definitely deserted him he turned about, and leaned upon his stick, glaring with venom and pugnacity upon the people at his heels who were responsible.

"Yes!" he said fiercely. "You all think I'm Julius Mostyn. And that's where you're one and all DEAD WRONG!"

THAT evening Arthur suddenly made up his mind to follow to Worplegate, where she had gone to spend the week-end with her family. He was not yet engaged to Madeline, but hoped to be, and the reason he wanted to be with her now was that at home Madeline had too many young men to wait upon her.

By a Girl of 16

So Strange

A rush of pity flooding through the heart.
A storm of blinding tears within the eyes.
A slow neglect that shinies through the soul;
So strange how swiftly love falls low.
And dies!

—Yvonne Webb.

with that canine devotion which sits so evilly upon our rivals for a lady's hand. He hastily looked up a train, and finding that he could by the skin of his teeth catch the only other train that day, he flung a few things into a bag and limped into the road, waving and calling for a taxi; from this vehicle he was disengaged at a main-line station and made a bee-line for the booking office; turning away with his ticket he then drew a bead upon the barrier and in a minute more was in a moving train straining to get disordered respiration back to normal.

Directly this had been achieved he took up his bag and crept into the corridor, for in addition to the decision to go after Madeline he had evolved another scheme.

He locked himself in that small apartment wherein the railway company supply a towel on a chain and a mirror on the wall. Stealthily he took from his big his shaving kit, and in a little while a really super-excellent moustache which he had worn

for several years, cavalry in style, jet black in hue, had been mercilessly torn from his face. They could now no longer say he was like Julius Mostyn, and to make doubly sure of this, he next removed the eyeglass he affected, slipped the thin black cord from his neck, and donned instead a pair of tortoiseshell-rimmed spectacles which he generally used when working under artificial light. Now the only resemblance was his limp, and that he couldn't help. He looked in the mirror, nevertheless, with little satisfaction.

An eyeglass and a cavalry moustache are not worn by the humble. And for the first time Arthur looked upon the likeness of a really uninteresting person; he not only looked different, but he felt different. Hitherto he had declared that as an innocent citizen he was entitled to go about as he liked, and that he could not be blamed if the police were hunting for a man exactly like him. He had given in now only because Madeline would not walk any longer with him as he was.

Arthur self-consciously went into the corridor again, but not to the same compartment. Taking a seat elsewhere, he put a cigarette to his lips and was aware immediately of the undressed and chilly feeling of his upper lip. It made him feel as if he were in a fancy dress that didn't suit him.

He opened his paper. As usual there was here a striking portrait of the wanted man.

The real Mostyn had dealt madly in millions and had defrauded the public on a gigantic scale. Now he had vanished and a net had been spread to catch him; every port was watched; the league of lodging-house keepers of England were on the job, and a replica of the wanted face was published far and wide; the public could not escape it, and Arthur could not escape the public. Here he was not so smart as the real Mostyn, who was probably lying in bed somewhere, smiling as he was read of all these efforts to locate him.

THE first thing that happened to Arthur, however, in his new disguise, was that a girl on the other side of the carriage sat very still and stared him out of countenance.

In a twinkling he recognised her as one who had rushed up to the booking office in as great a hurry as his own, and with her eyes had appealed to him to let her squeeze in front. Arthur, devoted though he was to Madeline, was not immune to the lure of any damsels in distress, and as he had made way with the appropriate gallantry, he had heard her book, like himself, to Worplegate, and when young men and women allow their eyes to meet once in a crowd, they never afterwards forget.

Poor fool! Instead of ridding himself of suspicion, he had now attracted an overdose.

This girl had seen him both with a moustache and without. In fact, he had conspicuously done what everyone was saying Mostyn would have done. Arthur was cornered. When he looked like Mostyn he was stalked, and now that he didn't, he had aroused deeper suspicion still.

Her set her gaze, cold, reasoning and penetrating. He gave her one look, as if to say, "Yes, I remember you, too, and it looks damning, but give a simple explanation. Must I give it in front of all these people?"

But before he could act at all the matter was taken out of his hands. The train stopped at a junction and the girl got out! He badly wanted to go to the window and see what she was going to do. Would she, for example, warn the guard? Would she



"I don't mind attracting attention, but I am not going to walk with a man who is afraid to pass a policeman."

phone Scotland Yard? Or was she merely frightened of him.

At any rate, although she had certainly booked to Worplegate, the train went on without her coming back to the carriage.

Arthur sat back and sighed.

It is permissible to wonder why he did not save the situation by getting out of this train at the next station and running for it.

The answer is that he had no real reason to run except to save himself the temporary annoyance of having to explain his actions, and that his whole object was to get to Worplegate to be near Madeline. And so he risked it and remained in the train until it reached the terminus; there he descended with the best air possible. Naturally he glanced from side to side as he went, and at the barrier he took a searching look about him, but the surprising truth was that there were no police here to stop him after all. He gave up his ticket and walked out at liberty still.

With a feeling of relief he turned along the main road, chose an inn, and, after a wash and a further critical look at himself, he decided to walk to

"Dreadful," said Madeline.

"Oh," said Arthur dejectedly, "I'm sorry."

"Why are you wearing those appalling glasses?"

"To do away with the monocle. I must wear something. I must see where I'm going."

"When I saw you walk in," said Madeline, "I thought you must be somebody who had come to sell a vacuum cleaner."

"Well, it won't be for long."

"For long? Have you considered what you will look like when you are trying to grow the thing again? Can you imagine the first few days . . . all bristly and uneven? Then the untidy, drooping stage, with one side longer than the other . . . for all I know," she added, raising her voice a little, "it may even come out next time a different color . . . patchy, with a trace of ginger."

"And eggs stains, I suppose," said Arthur angrily. "I tell you I did it for you. I knew I mustn't follow you here if I was going to embarrass you, and I thought you would be relieved."

Madeline turned away.

"I can't imagine myself being seen with you in daylight."

"Well, it's dark now. Come for a stroll along the front. If I could only have you for a short while to myself, I could convince you that I've acted for the best. In fact, I called for the express purpose of taking you for a walk. I have something to say to you that won't wait any longer."

"And are you going to say it in that fancy dress?"

"I will take off the glasses if you like."

She shrank.

"Well, I'll walk with you as far as the post. Then you had better go to bed, and to-morrow please go back to town."

He could not tell whether she was teasing him or not. She was certainly giving him very bitter looks, but perhaps she was putting them on. He didn't believe he could look as villainous as that. True, he had been robbed of his personality, but Madeline would surely see deeper than that. Could it be that she had liked him only for his moustache and eyeglasses?

He waited whilst she went to get a wrap, then picked up his hat and they left the house together.

They were, in fact, at the gate when Arthur gave a spasmodic start. Across the way a girl was standing under a lamp-post; she was posted there quite calmly, and she looked competent; there was no doubt who she was. It was the girl who had spotted him in the train, and somehow or other she had picked up the trail and caught him on the post . . . or rather on the way to it.

Now what was he going to do? If he confided in Madeline all would be up; she would certainly not allow him to be followed with suspicion in her own home town. And how could he take Madeline for a walk and plead with her for her hand if he was to be shadowed by a girl who evidently did not mean to spring out and accuse him, but simply to watch and then tell other people?

However, he pulled himself together, held open the gate, and in a crushed way hurried after Madeline, who had set off with that particularly healthy gait which girls slip into when they are by the sea; the slight breeze lifted her hair a little and played upon her smooth, wide brow. Her wrap was turned about her pretty figure as she walked; but in the rear came Arthur, giving infuriated looks behind him.

"Well," said Madeline, cheerfully, after some minutes had gone by, "you haven't told me much. You said there was something on your mind?"

She gave him a cursory smile and waited. They were at the pillar-box, and she had turned. He came round with her and tried to detain her with a touch upon the arm. His voice was pleading.

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Complete Short Story

the home of Madeline's people and present himself.

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The Summer HOUSE

A story which tells how big a part memories can
play in the life of a man or a woman,

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URSULA BLOOM

the echo of their laughter, the joy of
possession.

That day when Ronnie slipped from
the summer-house roof.

Ernie was working in the garden, trying to do something about the vegetables, which were growing a little out of hand. Everything wanted doing at once in June; it was difficult to know where to begin.

He was supposed to be "minding" the children, while Nancy got the sewing machine out and was running up extra cotton overalls, for they were going away to the seaside. He supposed he was so busy with his own work that he never noticed Ronnie climbing on to the roof and swinging by the honeysuckle. He never noticed until suddenly he heard the quick, sharp scream.

He turned, but not in time. Ronnie had climbed on to the roof to amuse his little sisters, he had slipped, and in pulling at the honeysuckle the branch had broken in his hand.

He was lying there on the gravel path below, very white and very still, with a cluster of the fragrant flowers in his fingers.

He remembered how he had run to the spot, Nancy coming out of the house, her cry, and then finding her kneeling the other side of the child, her face white as her apron.

"He isn't dead, Ernie?"

"He can't be dead."

Lifting him tenderly, lifting him and
feeling for the heart. Nancy's voice, "I
thought you were minding him. Oh,
Ernie, why didn't you?" and his own
 pang, not needing her to remind him
of his negligence.

Yet it had not been intentional
negligence; it had happened lots of
times before, the children playing
while he worked and there had not
been an accident.

He had gone off for the doctor, and
had come back with him. Ronnie was lying
just the same on his little bed, with
Nancy beside him, bathing his
head with water. It was concussion.

All night long the two watched there.

Now, remembering it, it seemed that
he was seeing down into the soul of
Nancy, a tortured, tormented thing,
something that could not bear the
terror of that night; the child with
the scent of honeysuckle still clinging
to him. Yet that night, for all its
terror, for all its wretchedness, had
done more towards building up their
marriage than anything else.

At dawn the child stirred. There
had been a wonderful sympathy in
Nancy's eyes as she bent over him.
"It's all right, Ronnie. It's all right,
my darling," and the dawn coming in
at the window, the end of their long
vigil with the knowledge that the child
would be all right.

He felt his eyes growing misty as
he remembered it. Scent of honeysuckle.
Something that had tied them
closer together, something intangible
and yet real.

For Old Times' Sake

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MARRIAGE is made
up of such a mixture, such a glorious
and strange mixture of happiness and
emotions. It is full of a wild and
delirious joy, yet it has also a deep and
terrible misery.

His illness! Just as he had got a
good position, and it seemed with the
children growing up that everything
was going to be splendid. They would
be able to rest on their laurels a little,
and have some peace, and then his
illness, quick and dynamic in its force.

That night before the operation—
Nancy lying there beside him on the
bed. Nancy older, rounder, firmer,
buoying him up as once he had buoyed
her up. Nancy telling him that he
need not be afraid as she would be
with him. She would stand between
him and death if needs be. She sim-
ply would not let him die.

Nancy with her face lined with
anxiety, yet looking at him bravely;
Nancy holding fast to his hand.

She had driven in the ambulance
with him, gone into the hospital with
him, been the last person he had
thought of when he went under the
anaesthetic.

Later, such a long, long while later,
he had come round, to find her there
beside him, keeper of the door of
death; he knew that her love and
infinite faith had done more for him
than anything else. Nancy sitting
there holding the sweet-scented ele-
matic sprays. It had flowered for him,
she said.

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"I haven't read the conditions of entry," said Mrs. Bonney, "but I think the machine will be the winner—the right type for speed—for any pilot who enters will have proved endurance and judgment. I feel that I have the physical fitness. I can put up with all manner of discomforts and I am not afraid, but without finance for the specially-built machine it would be sheer madness to make the attempt."

"I do not think one needs to be the great ace to win, though, naturally, a practical knowledge of the route will be a great factor."

There is no question about Mrs. Bonney's pluck. She is only a handful, dainty at that, and two years before she made her epic flight she was studying racebooks and fashion journals, not maps and charts. But she is not a lone example.

It is highly improbable that any N.S.W. women will enter in the London-Melbourne Centenary air race to be held in October next. While there are several women pilots in N.S.W. with undoubted skill and experience in the handling of aircraft, such as Jean Gardiner, Peggy McKillop, Mrs. Lee Brown, Miss Follett, and Nancy Bird they recognise that it



MRS. AMELIA EARHART PUTNAM will probably represent America in the world's air race.

would be foolhardy for any woman not thoroughly experienced in cross-country flights and proficient in navigation to undertake such a strenuous test as the big air race will provide.

The conditions of the race will make it the greatest test of skill and endurance ever propounded in the form of a contest.

Most of the original women pilots in New South Wales have given up flying as a hobby owing to the heavy cost of the sport, but one or two, such as Peggy McKillop and Nancy Bird, still use their planes occasionally.

Miss Freda Thompson, the Melbourne girl, who holds a "B" license, has also informed The Australian Women's Weekly that she does not propose to compete.

Australian woman fliers stand in a different category to Mrs. Mollison (Amy Johnson), who has already proved by her solo flights to Australia and South Africa that she is possessed of outstanding skill, stamina, and courage, and her experience should be of the greatest assistance to her in this contest.

The conditions of the Centenary Handicap, which is to be held at the

Flight Needs Preparation And Lots Of Experience: Cost Deters Women

Although Britain and America will probably have women entrants in the world air race to Australia, which will form part of the Melbourne Centenary celebrations, there seems little possibility of Australia being represented by a woman flier.

It is not because our girl aviators would not like to be competing, but the cost of such a world flight runs into a big sum.

Apart from this, there is no reason why Australian women should not enter and have a chance of winning, in the opinion of well-known flying men.

But it is a flight which only those with the necessary experience and stamina should tackle.

At the same time, there are more in favor of women competitors as the race provides for stops for checking over every 500 miles of the distance, and it is not unlikely that one or more Australian airwomen may compete in this event.

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BRITAIN and America will be represented by women. Amy Johnson and her husband, Mr. Jim Mollison, have announced their intention of doing their best for Great Britain, and so has Miss Marcendale Nelson. It is probable, also, that the Hon. Mrs. Victor Bruce will be another English competitor, while Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam may be a woman representative for the United States of America.

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ACCORDING to a recent cable from London, Pauline Gower and Dorothy Spicer will also be starters for the race if their aeroplane can be equipped with

extra petrol tanks for the flight. They have no hope of winning the outright race, but think they would have a good chance for the handicap.

Like the Hon. Mrs. Victor Bruce, Miss Helena Cato seems to have machinery "in her blood." But while the former holds world's motor racing records, Miss Cato spends a good deal of her time in her father's motor garage at Clare, so that she knows the inner workings of motor engines, and understands points in machinery that remain mysteries to many an excellent motorist.

Mrs. Mollison should know the route well, and has plenty of grit and stamina, as well as her share of good luck, and a knowledge of aeroplanes. Mrs. Putnam is a noted solo flier.

It seems that the men will have to put up a good fight to beat such a worthy group of women!

The Centenary air race really includes

two races, the speed race and the handicap race. Both are open to any individual of any nationality.

The prize for the first plane to land will be £10,000 and a gold cup. The second plane will carry off the £1500 prize, and the third £500. Because of the inequality of machines the race will also be regarded as a handicap, lower-powered machines competing for prizes of £2000 and £1000.

The race is singularly free from rules and competitors must make their own fueling arrangements.

That Miss Cato has had the race in mind for some time is obvious, because before she left on her trip to Noumea, she had announced her intention to her

family of being at Essendon when the first plane in the big race arrived there!

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Only a week more now before The Australian Women's Weekly - 2UW Easter tour is due to start. Next Thursday evening, by the 8.40 from Central, those wise and lucky people who have booked for this wonderful holiday tour will glide out of Sydney to Kosciusko on a special train.

ONE aboard the train, there will be nothing to worry about and nothing to pay for. The trip will be conducted from the moment it leaves Central by Miss Kay Russell, an expert at this sort of thing. She will look after every detail and see that everyone has a good time.

The trip includes three and a quarter days' accommodation at Hotel Kosciusko, and a special rail carriage for the trip and back. Meals are provided on the journey. You will not need a penny. All those little extras which usually make such holidays expensive are absolutely free, even morning and afternoon tea at the hotel.

Station 2UW is going to look after the amusement side for the party. On Saturday there will be a broadcast of the party from Kosciusko.

Immediately on arrival at the hotel, Miss Russell will convene a meeting and elect sporting committees to look after various activities.

All sporting accessories will be absolutely free. You will be able to play

golf, tennis, croquet, or go riding without the usual hire charges.

Prizes valued at more than £10 have been donated by Sydney firms. These will be allocated for sports events and competitions when the party arrives at the hotel.

Endie Max, doll specialist, has donated a boudoir doll, valued at £2.7/-; Mabs McQuirk, shoe specialist, £17/6/- pair of shoes; Rogers, George H., chemist, a beauty casket, valued at £1.10/-; Travel Goods, 239 Pitt St., a travel case, £2.10/-; and many other special care packages in a fancy pot, valued at £1.10/- Mutual Foods have donated a special box of assorted fruits. The Forrestier Fur Store have given a "50/- squirrel" choker, to be offered as a bridge prize. The Regal Bag Store, a unique hand bag, valued at £1.10/- and Tasma Studios have offered to photograph the oldest person in the party.

On Saturday or Sunday motor cars will convey the party on a magnificent trip to the Chalet, Charlotte Pass, and the summit of Mt. Kosciusko. This trip alone usually costs £1 per head return. Picnic lunches will be provided, and served by attendants from the hotel.

And all this for only £6.6/- Book at once, at the Government Tourist Bureau, and make sure of a seat. For further details listen to Miss Kay Russell each morning from 2UW, at 10 o'clock.

2UW Highlights for Readers

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

At 9.45 a.m.—The Australian Women's Weekly recipe competition, £1 prize each week. Listen to Myra Dempsey.

At 10 a.m.—Kay Russell on our Special Easter Trip to Kosciusko.

At 11 a.m.—Mrs. Littlejohn will describe various scenes in Brussels. The recent death of King Albert of Belgium, and the still more recent utterances of the Prime Minister on Belgium's new attitude to Germany, have focused much attention on the cockpit of Europe.

At 2 p.m.—The Woman's Hour, by arrangement with The Australian Women's Weekly. Dorothea Vautier News. The Verse of Edith Sitwell, "So They Say" topics, Book Reviews, and "Don't Forgets."

At 4 p.m.—Enid Lorimer, Little Theatre Talk.

From 10 p.m.—Dance Music.

SUNDAY, MARCH 25

At 10 a.m.—Music of the Masters.

At 11.30 a.m.—Idle Hour Melodies.

At 3 p.m.—2UW Popular Sunday Concert. Concerto in B Flat Minor, Op. 23 (Tchaikovsky), for Piano and Orchestra, played by Rubinstein and the London Symphony Orchestra.

At 7.45 p.m.—Foreign Affairs. J. M. Prentice.

At 8 p.m.—Radio play, "The Curse of Pharaoh's Tomb."

At 9.15 p.m.—Flirting With Death. Capt. Frank Hurley.

At 9.45 p.m.—Celebrity Recordings.

From 10 p.m.—Whistle-a-Way Music.

MONDAY, MARCH 26

At 9.45 a.m.—The Australian Women's Weekly "Clever Ideas" Session. Myra Dempsey.

At 10 a.m.—Kay Russell, who will conduct The Australian Women's Weekly 2UW tour to Kosciusko, gives a short talk.

At 12.30 p.m.—Life of Victor Herbert!—Part 6.

At 1 p.m.—Light Orchestral Session.

At 2 p.m.—The Woman's Hour, by arrangement with The Australian Women's Weekly. Dorothea Vautier News. Interesting People. A microphone interview with Miss Ruby Morris—the only woman to be brought to Australia by J.C.W. to produce a show, "So They Say" topics, "Peeps at the World," with special sound recording, by arrangement with the State Theatre, Peter Speight, and "Don't Forgets."

At 4 p.m.—Mrs. Littlejohn will give a talk on "Some Belgian Cities."

At 8 p.m.—A Miniature Musical. Amy Oestinga, Vernon Sellars, Clifford Arnold.

From 10 p.m.—Dance Music.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27

At 9.45 a.m.—The Australian Women's Weekly homecraft and needlework notions. Myra Dempsey.

At 10 a.m.—Kay Russell. The Kosciusko Easter tour.

At 11.15 a.m.—Joan Harvey talks on "Psychology."

At 1 p.m.—Light orchestral music.

At 2 p.m.—The Woman's Hour, by arrangement with The Australian Women's Weekly. Dorothea Vautier News. "Give It An Answer" Competition, prize, two best seats at the State Theatre. Musical Doings. Sir Thomas

Beecham and his music. Debate between Mrs. Albert Littlejohn and Mr. C. N. Bayertz, "That Wives Should Receive a Salary." To finish the session, "Don't Forgets."

At 7.50 p.m.—Popular Psychology. J. M. Prentice.

At 8.45 p.m.—2UW's popular request dance night. Cec. Morrison's music.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

At 9.30 a.m.—Motor talk.

At 9.45 a.m.—The Australian Women's Weekly home decorating.

At 10 a.m.—Kay Russell. An Australian travel talk, the Easter tour to Kosciusko.

At 1 p.m.—Light orchestral music.

At 2 p.m.—The Woman's Hour, by arrangement with The Australian Women's Weekly. Dorothea Vautier News. "So They Say" topics. Interesting People. Ned Kelly himself at the microphone—L. H. Simpson made lead in "When the Kellys Rode." Careers For Women. Interior Decorating—Miss Yolande Proctor, of the Argosy Gallery. "Don't Forgets."

At 4 p.m.—Mrs. Littlejohn. The story of Dante's Divine Comedy.

At 7.45 p.m.—Great plays in half an hour. No. 6—"Monte Cristo"—Nancy Stewart. Wayne Lynton and Co.

From 10 p.m.—Dance music.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29

At 9.45 a.m.—The Australian Women's Weekly home section prize-winners. Myra Dempsey.

At 10 a.m.—Kay Russell's Australian travel talk, "The Joys of Kosciusko."

At 12.30 p.m.—"The Life of Victor Herbert!"—Part 7.

At 1 p.m.—Light orchestral session.

At 2 p.m.—The Woman's Hour, by arrangement with The Australian Women's Weekly. Dorothea Vautier News. Highlights from The Australian Women's Weekly. Fashion Hints From Paris and Vienna. Mr. Sefton Cullen. Personal Memoirs of Life in the Far East.

At 4 p.m.—Foreign Affairs. J. M. Prentice.

At 9.15 p.m.—Yoshitomo San, a Japanese composer.

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FABULOUS Splendour of INDIAN PRINCES

Priceless Jewels Are Worn Like Cheap Beads

SITTING Australia, at present, is Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Frederick O'Connor, Irish-born member of the Anglo-Indian diplomatic service, whose picturesque career in the East has been packed with romantic adventures. He is a living Kipling character.

During the war he was a prisoner in Persia, and, later, was on special duty in Siberia. As British Envoy to Nepal, he negotiated a treaty between Great Britain and Nepal. During his thirty odd years in India, Sir Frederick has made a close study of life there. He is the author of a book on Tibetan folk tales.

In this article, Sir Frederick deals with the immense wealth of Indian princes. Every rajah's palace is a store of precious stones and metals, which could solve the financial problems of the Empire.

ORIENTAL potentates have always loved to amass and adorn themselves with gorgeous jewellery, and nowhere more so than in India, where many of the native rulers possess collections of gems of almost fabulous value.

The Nizam of Hyderabad, for instance, who rules over a country with a population of some 11 to 13 million inhabitants, is reputed to be the wealthiest man in the world, possessing vaults filled with gold and silver and jewels beyond the dreams of avarice; and most of the great Indian Princes deck themselves on ceremonial occasions with masses of huge diamonds, rubies, emeralds, etc., and ropes of exquisitely matched pearls.

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Paladin of History

NOW, the then Ruler of Nepal was the famous Prime Minister, Jung Bahadur, a paladin of contemporary history, and the founder of the existing dynasty of Prime Ministers; and he (as has been the case with each of his successors) was a firm and true friend to Great Britain. He volunteered his personal services during the Mutiny, and he placed the manhood and the resources of his small country at the disposal of our Government; and he himself commanded a force of his gallant little Gurkhas from his own army during the relief of Lucknow and in many other battles and operations.

By the etiquette and code of Oriental courtesy he could not refuse safe harbour to the refugees, but he forbade the Nana Sahib to come to his capital at Katmandu, and gave orders that he was not to be allowed to leave the low-lying marshy forest country at the foot of the mountains on the borders of Nepal; and in return for this sanctuary and for financial and other help, he received in exchange certain of the Nana's jewels.

Some of these jewels now form a portion of the magnificent headdress worn by the Prime Minister of Nepal, and passed on as an hereditary heirloom to each occupant of this high office in turn. It is a truly splendid spectacle. The frontal portion consists of three oval plates literally covered with a blaze of cut diamonds and rubies, edged and interspersed with pearls, and below these, overhanging the forehead, hangs a fringe of large uncut oval emeralds.

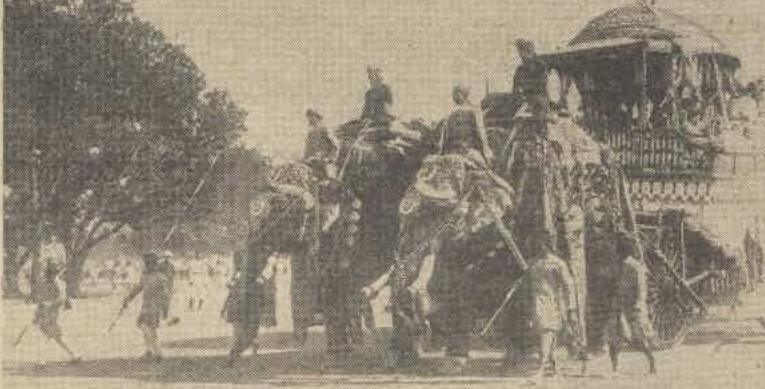
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This particular form of headdress has been adopted for the official wear of the high officers of State, who are members of the Prime Minister's family. The accompanying photograph shows a group of these officials, and it will be observed that the headdresses are all similar in appearance. That of the Prime Minister himself is, of course, the richest and most gorgeous, but the others are all plentifully adorned with fine jewels, and the splendour of the general effect of this glittering mass may easily be conceived, while its total value is almost incalculable.

Beyond the Himalayas in Tibet, jewels are but seldom worn, and the women adorn themselves chiefly with ornaments of gold, and rough matrix turquoise and seed pearls. But in greater monasteries are stored artistic treasures of immense richness—all coming from China—cinnomous porcelain, jade, silks, etc., in endless variety. The Dalai Lama's palace at Lhasa, in Patala, especially has storehouses crammed with vast quantities of

SIR FREDERICK O'CONNOR is seen in the centre, here, with a group of India's most illustrious Princes. Each of them is wearing a headdress encrusted with jewels and studded with rubies as big as pigeons' eggs. The headpieces are said to be worth over six million altogether.



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"Our lives are terribly difficult. Father hates wireless, and thinks we all ought to be in bed by nine and up at six. He quarrels at dinner with my husband and

Mother complains that my girls leave the laundry untidy, always doing up their little frocks and frillies. Father complains that they go out at night. My sister's boy won't drink coffee, and there's only coffee for breakfast, and Father thinks he ought to be made to drink it.

"We all disagree over dozens of things—religion, politics, cooking, shopping, housekeeping, books, and films.

"My sister pulled the piano sideways into the room, and Mother was terribly upset and cried until we put it back again the wall.

"Mother often tells me to take off my best dress in the house, and Father regularly tells my husband that he doesn't know what he is talking about—and my man resents it.

"We feel strained and wretched by our contacts, we, who were once so happy and jolly all together."

Give In

THIS problem goes deep into the heart of humanity to-day. Thousands all over the world are being obliged to try and find out how to solve it.

Going back to the old home to live is such a very different proposition to going home on a visit.

Undoubtedly, those who go home ought to give in.

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THE same social rules should apply to them as to other guests in other houses.

The essence of a guest is to be a good guest.

And they should and must realize that they are guests at the old home, where the Mother and Father will reign as host and hostess; still own the place; and are still conscious that the home is run by them, and their children, their dear children, maybe, have come to them as visitors blown thither by the adverse winds of Fate.

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A PROBLEM like this seems colossal, and yet it can be easily overcome by tact and common sense.

Remember, tact is nine parts sympathy and one part cunning. This is one of the cases when technique is needed madly.

You all need to think out a few formulas.

The argumentative husband's technique with the old father should be, "Very likely you are right!"

It's quite easy to say. It's as true as anything is true, and it immediately cuts the ground from under the old gentleman's feet, leaving him nothing to stand upon, as it were. It is, in short, marvellously effective; one might almost say, it is never failing that particular formula.

Mother's Little Ways

The young daughters' technique should be, "Do you mind if we use the hamper? We promise to leave it slick and span!"

That's easy enough, is it not? But persuade them to focus on it seriously, and make them understand that it isn't sporting for girls to worry an old lady with their happy-go-lucky ways while they are living in her house.

An old lady loves her house, and her little "ways," with an intensity that no young fibber-gibbets can possibly understand.

As far as the piano and the artistic daughter who wants to move the furniture into more charming modern angles, we sympathise with her tremendously, and understand fully that itch of the fingers to push this sofa there, and that chair here, and to get the piano out of its impossible condition of the "Maiden's Prayer" period, when all self-respecting pianos were forced to stand rigid and melancholy with their backs to the wall, while the players presented their backs to the room with an equally melancholy effect.

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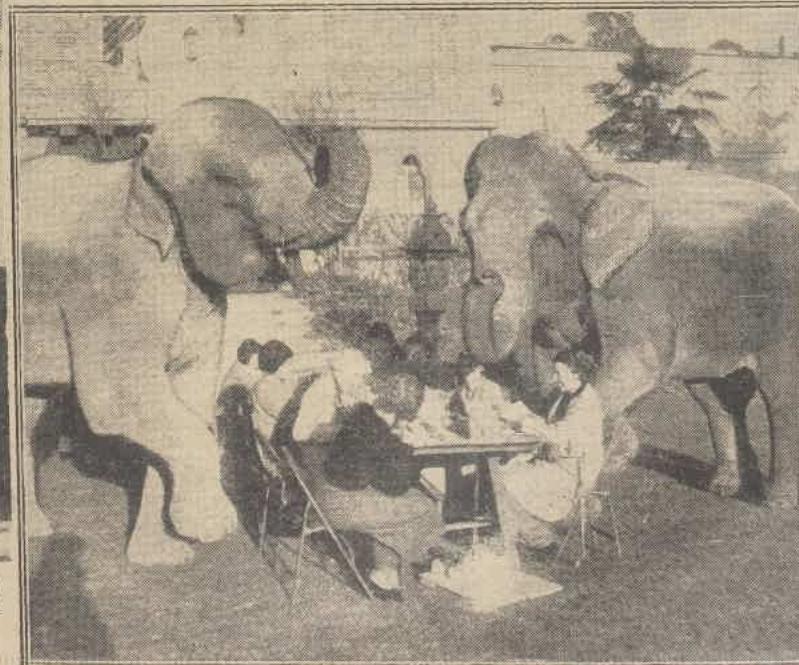
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LADY MILBANKE who, before her marriage, was Sheila Chisholm, well known in Australian society circles, is seen here wearing an example of the model by Jean Patou, the famous designer.



MISS BETSY MOLSBERRY, who is said to be the first girl in America to graduate as an engineer. In Australia there are a few women who have embarked upon this career so exclusively belonging to men.



THE LATEST picture of Marjorie La Varre, the pretty young American woman who, with her husband, is exploring hitherto untravelled parts of British Guiana in search of diamonds. Here she is seen up to her neck in water about to cross a ford. This kind of thing is all in the day's work of a woman explorer.



THE FAMOUS boxing kangaroo, which played a prominent part in the recent big circus at Olympia, London. The photo shows an off-stage snap of the Australian partaking of a little refreshment after his bout.



Left: Elephants to afternoon tea? No. Just a peep at the art class of the Southern California University where a couple of jumbos have been enlisted from the local zoo to pose for the students. The girls are modelling the elephants in clay.

Above: Charlotte Francis, the vivacious young English stage star, who plays the leading feminine role of Alma Lee in Cinesound's production of "The Silence of Dean Maitland." She is supported by Joy Howarth, Patricia Minchin, and other Australian girls.

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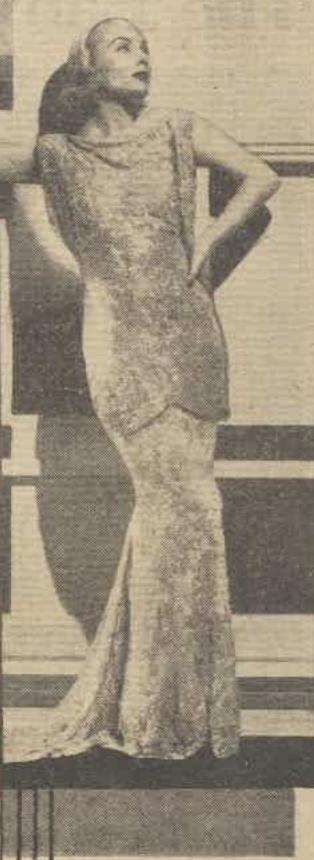
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• EVELYN VENABLE (top left) suggests an aura of old-world charm in her rose-colored gown of gleaming taffeta. It is simply designed with the interest centred on a cleverly ruffled train.

SLIM, STRAIGHT LINES . . . and SEVERE EFFECTS!

THE most important factor in the new clothes will be the emphasis placed on the so-called "pencil silhouette." This season Hollywood gown-designers will make every effort to create fashions which will stress the slim, straight, and very severe effect in clothes. In fact we are going back to the fashions of 1914.

Fullness will be achieved by pleats, and tunics will be all the rage—tunics which range in length from the short flared peplum to the very long type reaching almost to the hem of the gown itself. Broad shoulders, too, will be featured. But this broadness will be done by wide box pleats on the shoulders, rather than by the enormous puffs of early spring.

The natural waistline will be decidedly emphasised. Even though there may be a line above or below the normal waist, the latter will be definitely outlined by cleverly placed darts or pin tucks.

Sleeves will make themselves

conspicuous by being very intricate. Loose, gracefully draped sleeves of chiffon or georgette will be featured in formal afternoon frocks and dinner gowns, while even the sleeves in street clothes will be large. Pleats, big tucks, and flares will be used to exaggerate the size of the actual sleeve.

The most popular neckline will be the square type. For street

Fascinating petticoats of georgette or crepe-de-chine to the knees with rustling taffeta ruffles at the hem are the newest notion for evening wear.

the neckline will be square and high in front and back, while for evening the gowns will boast a deep cut to the waist in the back. Mr. Banton particularly favors the formal evening dress, which has a high neckline both in front and in back, but which features a slit to the waistline. This gives just a mere suggestion of the former backless gown.

Another very important note

From TRAVIS BANTON,
Paramount studios fashion
expert.

will be the use of more elaborate and costly materials for clothes. Even though the dress will be made along very simple lines, the cloth will be elegant. Evening gowns will be heavily beaded. Sequined tulle, too, will be much in evidence for the more ingenue type of evening frock.

Hats will simply go crazy this year. They will be heavy with trimmings—large flowers, birds' wings, and, for formal afternoon and evening, huge rhinestone clips and buckles. Hats will be shown in the extreme. They will be either very tiny or very large.

And here is something rather surprising—again going back to the fashions of 1914. Well, do you recall the heavy face veils the ladies wore? And do you remember that they pinned them back, tight against the face and under the chin? That's exactly what they're going to do again. It will take a lot of courage for the women to try it at first, but the fact remains that it will be the fashionable thing to do.

The Fashion Parade by Jessie Tait, sketched by Petrov

EVENING FASHIONS for Easter WEEK!

The Mermaid Silhouette is Modish for Festive Occasions

ADIRECT contrast to summer styles is shown in the new evening clothes. No more frills and fussiness; no bouffant shoulder lines; the keynote of the autumn and winter styles is simplicity of line, richness of material and color.

THREE mermaid or pencil silhouette which outlines the figure as far down as the knees, breaks into fullness and then trails the ground, is the line of practically all the new models. The only point where drapery is allowed is around the bust.

Bodices are swathed, draped, and trimmed—seldom plain. The shoulder and neck line are as important as the hem.

Decolletés are modest in front but daring at the back. They may be throat or almost chain level and then down to the waist at the back. The majority of evening gowns will cover the shoulders, but there are many that expose them.

The long-sleeved evening dress, so new abroad, should be very practical for winter evenings. Up till now sleeves for the evening have generally meant a mere excuse for trimming, consisting of loops, ruffles, ruches, and flares. Now the sleeves are long and fitted, except for a slight fullness at the top or a wide armhole to give a graceful tapering-line to the arm. Transparent chiffon, net or organza sleeves and yokes top dense dark skirts.

A Favorite Neckline

AFAVORITE evening neckline consists of a high choker front and an extremely narrow waist-deep back opening. Mainbocher prefers low "V" backs. Augustabernier is showing high, square, pointed and boat decolletages. Peep-hole shoulders at the top of long and short sleeves are still favored by all the designers.

The new fitted skirts look impossibly tight around the knees, but are not so in reality, as they are cut cleverly on the bias, allowing plenty of freedom while walking or dancing. Materials are heavy and supple and so hang close to the figure. Trains, from six inches to two feet long, appear on almost every frock. While giving a great air of elegance and grace they are impossible for practical use. It is far better to have your frock just touching the floor than to have to hold up a train when dancing. This completely ruins the line of the frock besides looking clumsy and uncomfortable. I have seen one model which solved this difficulty. The back of the straight slim skirt was composed of two panels, and just before they reached the ankles they separated and hung a good twelve inches along the floor. When the wearer desired to dance the panels were hooked up. (A small hook was placed at the tip of both inside points, and an embroidered eye on either side seam about twelve inches from the ground.)

Evening Fabrics

AMONG the reasons that this new silhouette seems so sure of success are the beauty and richness of the new evening fabrics, which are so handsome in themselves that they do not need any trimming. Many of them are extraordinarily heavy—Lyons velvets, slipper satins, Ottomans in various widths, moire, faille, all-silk brocades, and lame. The lames are gold or silver or shot with color; rich patterned multi-colored brocaded lames are not worn. The new fabrics have soft, subtle color shot through them in vague, shadowy patterns.

We like brilliance this winter, as is shown by shiny satins, parme velvets, and these metal materials. This is a marked reaction from the dull crepes and matt surfaces of the summer styles.

Rich Color Tones

COLORS are as luxurious as materials—deep, rich tones enlivened, if you wish, by glittering lame.

Dark browns, mulberry, raspberry, deep blue, black, purple, dark red, dark

green and the new olive green, grey in both pale and dark shades, white trimmed with brown fur, a very few pastels, and, of course, silver and gold.

The Evening Hat

ABROAD, one rarely goes bareheaded in the evening, a hat a headress or a diadem being usually worn. It seems rather incongruous to wear a hat at the same time as you wear a train—but it isn't. Hats are worn with many dinner or informal evening ensembles.

Black chiffon velvet, jet, sequins, and beads on net, feathers, make tiny evening toques and halo hats.

Not only hats are being worn for evening, but twisted pieces of the same material as the dress are placed on the head in halo fashion.

Diadems, tiaras, or halos made of glittering stones, metal, glass, flowers, pearls, and colored jewelled ornaments decorate almost every head for formal evening wear.

TOP ROW: Evening dress of white wind-swept satin (left), showing unusual trimming of pleats. A foot length train sweeps the floor behind. Pale grey and dark grey dull crepe are cleverly combined in the next gown, which shows the new high draped decolleté and over-the-shoulder line.

LOWER ROW: Silver lame makes an elegant frock and short-sleeved jacket (left). The edge of jacket is outlined with grey fox fur. Black velvet and glistening jet combine (centre) to make this evening frock outstandingly smart. Note the new cut-out pieces on the upper arms. A rich mulberry shade of sheer velvet is used for this long-sleeved evening gown (right), which could also be worn as a dinner frock. Beaded embroidery in gold trims neck and sleeves.

Practical Evening Gowns

ALTHOUGH the new evening frocks sound very expensive and luxurious they can be made to fit two or three occasions, and so lessen their initial cost. Time and careful thought must be expended in order to obtain the right effect with as little money as possible.

An evening frock can go to dances to dinner, bridge, cocktails, the cinema. The three-piece dress is necessary for this. For instance, a slim-fitting skirt of black velvet just reaching the ground is worn for the evening with a backless blouse of silver lame. When you want it for late afternoon or cinema wear you don a long-sleeved hip-length tailored jacket and small black velvet hat. A pastel satin blouse with long sleeves could be worn for a change.

A dress and coat with a double skirt are more practical still. As a foundation there is a simple evening frock of mulberry crepe. Over the slim skirt there is a tunic effect reaching below the knees and edged with a tiny row of pleats. Upon close inspection it is found that this waist-length tunic is in one with the bodice and the underskirt separate, and can be left on or off as desired.

The waist-length jacket of the same material can be worn at both times. There is a long girdle with big gold tassels when it is worn as an evening gown.

The dinner suit of which I told you weeks ago is ideal for this transformation—a long skirt to be added instead of the shorter one.

As blouses and the bodices of dresses



OUR PARIS SNAPSHOTS

STIFF, heavy taffeta is used for many of the new evening frocks.

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HANDLESS, elbow length, shaped cuffs, made of the same fabric as the dress, are replacing evening gloves in Paris.

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THREE ribbons in three shades of the same color, wound or braided round the waist, add a new note to an old frock.

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THE more becoming of the off-the-face hats have their brims turned up on one side, rather than in the centre front. The downward sweep of the other side of the brim gives an attractive outline.

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WAISTLINES are all-important in the new winter coats. Belts, starting from the side and fastening very tightly in front over a rather full-fronted coat which is well fitted in the back, achieve the latest effect.

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THE ears are exposed in the new evening coiffures, and jewels must decorate them. Large, brilliant ear-clips and earrings cover as much of the ear as possible.

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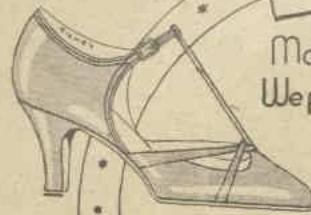
THE new fur collars almost prevent you from seeing your toes! The new silhouette, although slender in outline, has a distinct "forward" line from chin to waist, to give the new "cheeky" look.



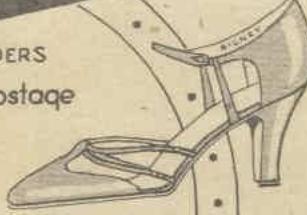
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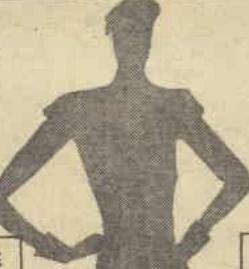
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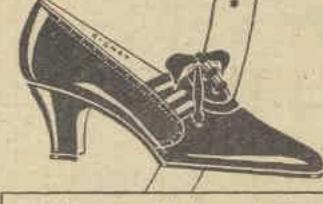
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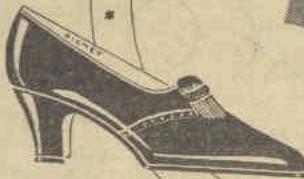
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De Cisneros Dead

AT the age of 53 Eleonora de Cisneros has died in America. Opera and concertgoers of twenty years ago well remember this famous contralto. Melba is said to have heard her singing the role of Delilah in Saint-Saëns' "Samson," and to have burst into tears, afterwards declaring "You are the greatest Delilah in the world."

In setting the "heels" in motion this year the Organising Committee, led by the indefatigable Roland Foster, surmounted a good many obstacles which did not obstruct them in their work last year.

It is good to find the civic heads conscious of their duty to culture, and rendering their aid to make this year's Festival of Song a success, especially when the forthcoming Royal tour is monopolising attention.

It has been suggested by critics that music in Australia lacks organisation. This may have been true in the not distant past, but there are signs of a wider effort to spread the gospel of good music.

Eisteddfods, choral festivals, music weeks, opera seasons—all of these things help to arouse community interest in music, and so should be encouraged. After all, it is useless training musicians to perform beautiful compositions without simultaneously teaching people to listen—intelligently.

Eisteddfods, therefore, become particularly useful since they provide thousands with the opportunities for participating in the making of music, and so attaining a degree of discrimination between noise and music.

Catch 'Em Young

WHILE education authorities have quite a benevolent attitude towards music in this country, I think they should sponsor the eisteddfod movement more actively. Many teachers, especially in boys' schools, still regard music

as a waste of time, and so should be encouraged to attend eisteddfods.

The following year De Cisneros returned to Australia for a concert tour, bringing as her co-artist Paul Dufau, who in that season and later became an absolute idol with our audiences.

De Cisneros actually was an American, born Eleanor Broadfoot in New York. She appeared with great success in every great opera house in the world, and married the Cuban Count de Cisneros.

Kiepura Still Alive

THERE are rumors throughout Australia that Jan Kiepura, the young Polish tenor whose film "Tell Me To-night" has been enjoying phenomenal success, has died.

These rumors would seem to be unfounded for the singer has been making new records in Germany lately. Two or three months ago he sang in a new film, "A Song for You," which is said to be an even brighter entertainment than "Tell Me To-night," but does not seem yet to have been made in English. News now comes that he is at work on a further "single," and when it is finished is returning to America under contract to one of the big film companies.

Lionel Lawson Succeeds

WE predicted big things for the Sydney violinist, Lionel Lawson, when he went to England last year. Latest news is that he is proving most popular as supporting artist in an English tour by the famous negro bass, Paul Robeson. Lawson was undoubtedly one of the best musicians in this country—a fiddler with an immaculate technique, a tone of silken sweetness, and an interpreter of unusual sensitiveness.

Fine "Faust" Performance

ONE could not have wished for a much finer performance of "Faust" than the A.B.C. Company gave last Thursday night. Gounod's delightful music "came over" with verve, sweetness, and vivacity. I thought Molly de Gunst was vocally at her best as Marguerite; Lionel Cecil's singing was, as ever, grateful to the ear.

Mephistopheles, on this occasion, was sung by Raymond Beatty, who made a rather more cultured Devil than tradition leads one to expect. Alfred Cunningham was an outstanding figure in the cast as the brother, being specially impressive in the aria, "Even Bravest Heart." Maestro Aldrovandi conducted with his customary ability.

Two-Piano Team

THE increasing vogue of two-piano music in recent years has given birth to several effective partnerships. One of these comprises Rita Hope and Katie Liddle, who will be heard during a relay from ABC, Melbourne, on March 26. Listeners may recall the stylish work of these pianists in the "Hour of Brahms" last year.

Miss Hope, who was the teacher of her partner, studied in Vienna with the famous master, Theodore Leschetizky, and is one of the few pianists who can boast of having had lessons from Paderevski.

Started Early

A VETERAN of broadcasting is Violet Semple, the Melbourne contralto, who is one of the artists in support of the Collingwood Citizens' Band during its national programme on Good Friday night. Miss Semple sang at an experimental station in East Melbourne long before the days of studios, and has been on the air regularly ever since.

Another "Iris"

"IRIS" is to be repeated as the next radio opera. The principals will be Walter Kingsley (Cleco), Evelyn Lynch (Iris), Lionel Cecil (Osaka), Franco Isai (Kyoto), and Evelyn Hall (Duch). The production will be by Maestro Aldrovandi.

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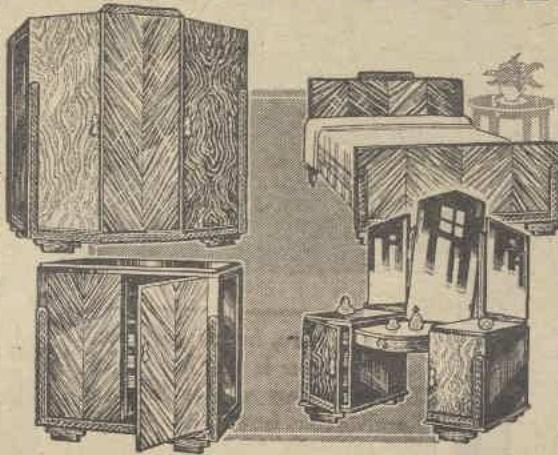
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THERE IS ONLY ONE FLY-TOX

J.C.W.'S HUGE EASTER ATTRACTIONS—BOTH COMMENCING MARCH 31
THEATRE ROYAL
Lavish beyond all dreams.
"WHITE HORSE INN"
With the new Revolving Stage!
PLANS OPEN NEXT MONDAY (MARCH 26) AT PALINO'S FOR BOTH THEATRES.

CRITERION
It's kept London laughing for Nearly
Two Years!
"FRESH FIELDS"
With new English Comedy Co.

WIN HOLIDAY PAY THE WHIDDON WAY

£1000
Lottery shares
less than cost

Mr. Whiddon is holding a lottery ticket stub. The stub is dated 9th March 1934, payable to Mrs. Ninnis or Beare, for the sum of One thousand Pounds (£1000). It is signed "Whiddon".

Easter is here, holidays at hand, and everyone is needing money. Let Whiddon win it for you. Last Monday he won over £1000, including the third prize of £500 with ticket No. 45841 for five shareholders. The previous week he won the second prize of £1000 in the 188th Lottery with ticket 2540 for five others. Let him win for you.

Mr. Whiddon, first Director of the State Lottery, is now offering the greatest Lottery Value in Australia with his "Whiddon Five Thousand Double." This gives the opportunity of winning PRIZES VALUED AT £5000 for 2/-, and issued in connection with the Golden Chest, of which Mr. Whiddon is Hon. Director.

Let Whiddon Win for You

To every reader who sends 2/- for a Whiddon Five Thousand Double, Whiddon will give a lucky fifth Lottery Share (similar to those that won the £1000 and £500), which can win a prize valued at £1000 in the State Lottery, and also a ticket in the Golden Chest, which can win a prize valued at £4000.

WHIDDON WINS AND WINS AND WINS. LET HIM WIN FOR YOU. Share in his luck and get cash for Easter by sending for your Whiddon Five Thousand Double to-day.

This is the most wonderful prize value obtainable to-day. All you need to do is to send the coupon below with a postal note for 2/- and stamped addressed envelope to get YOUR CHANCE TO WIN PRIZES VALUED AT £5000.

DON'T DELAY - POST TO-DAY - WHIDDON'S CASH MAY COME YOUR WAY

W. H. WHIDDON, Hon. Director, The Golden Chest,

I want to win prizes valued at £5000. Here is a postal note for 2/- and stamped addressed envelope. Please send me a Whiddon's Five Thousand Double—Fifth Lottery Share Ticket and Golden Chest Ticket.

Name _____

Street _____

Town _____

PROVING Efficacy Of PRAYERS

Unique Sydney Service Attracts World-Wide Interest

Among the most interesting and unique religious services in Australia are the weekly intercessory prayer meetings at the Sydney Town Hall.

To these weekly gatherings are addressed petitions from people all over the world, asking that prayers be offered for the easing of their mental, physical and spiritual burdens and afflictions.

PUTTING their faith in God, these supplicants have found relief, and in many cases, it is claimed, subsequent happenings have provided a solution to their life problems.

This prayer meeting, now known as the United Intercessory Service, had its beginning in 1921, with a weekly lunch hour meeting in Pitt Street, Sydney.

During the visit of Mr. Hickson to Australia in 1923 a deputation of repre-

tative churchmen asked Mr. William Bradley to conduct a daily meeting of prayer for sufferers.

Accordingly as many as 10,000 persons gathered in the town hall each day to intercede for their friends. Subsequently the meetings were held one day each week. That was nearly eleven years ago, but they are still being continued every Wednesday at midday.

Canon Hammond and Mr. W. Bradley

100,000 PETITIONS

About 150 petitions are received every day at the intercessory services, 100,000 having been received since 1923. Of these it is claimed 20,000 have had direct results.

The meetings are world-famous, and prayer requests have been received from as far distant as Africa, South America, Russia, China, Japan, India, European countries, and from all parts of Australasia.

arrange each meeting, which consists of hymn singing, two short addresses, an occasional solo, thanksgiving and prayer requests.

Many famous overseas speakers such as Dr. J. Mott, Dr. F. B. Meyer, Rev. Lionel Fletcher, and Bishop Taylor Smith have addressed these gatherings.

THE procedure at the Town Hall basement is very simple, and the persons who attend are from various walks of life. Amongst them are spruce grey-haired business men, flappers in short-sleeved summer frocks, weary matrons with shopping baskets, young men in grey flannels and rolled shirt sleeves. Mothers with young children are frequently to be seen there, while a regular adherent is a dark-skinned young man who sits with hands clasped before him and an intense expression in his downcast eyes.

As they enter the building one of three women greets them and receives their written prayer requests. These are read and abbreviated and handed to the person in charge. Other requests also come by letter, telegram, and trunkline telephone calls. The requests are read aloud. The congregation then, with bowed heads, join with the leader in the required prayers.

Amongst the things asked are the cure for tuberculosis, invalids, drunkards, wayward husbands, employment, food and clothing, re-union of families, and so on.

Poignant Appeals

SOME of the letters received tell a poignant story.

"I want my son, who has been away for two years to come home to me. Would you please pray for this," asked a mother.

"Pray that my husband may give up drink and be led to the meetings and be converted," was the request of another.

Following are other extracts from letters:

"My daughter was seriously injured in a car accident. We fear that she may be permanently disabled and we devoutly ask that you intercede for her recovery."

"My grand-niece is suffering from a nervous breakdown. The doctors consider that it may turn into a complete mental case. On our behalf will you pray for her?"

In a childish scrawl was one saying: "Dear God, will you please make my daddy give up drink and come home to us. Keep him away from bad company."

Some time ago a tubercular girl asked for prayers for herself and for reunion with her family. The thanksgiving note from the parents was worded thus:

"Praise God for the unspeakable joy we have in A—'s restoration to health, and also for answering our prayers so literally as to give us this time of reunion with one another."

A briefer one said:

"Please join in praise to God for the restoration of our daughter without an operation."

One who had received mental uplift from the service wrote: "Thanks for the joy of being in the same room as a real Christian."

Another: "Thank God for curing my husband of the terrible vice of drink."

Letters of praise are also frequently received from invalids, men who have found employment, others who have received unexpected gifts and clothing. Within the last fortnight four young men have suddenly found employment through this source. One, recently after attending the meeting, returned home to find a telegram from his old firm offering him work.

It is claimed that none of the members of the business men's Bible Class is out of work.

No record is kept of this unique work except as one of the attendants said, in Heaven.

Letters sent to "So They Say" should be short and to the point. A heading, describing the subject, should be written at the head of each item. £1 is paid for one letter, and 5/- for all others. Letters must be endorsed "So They Say."

AN APOLOGY

A YEAR ago I came to this north-western corner of N.S.W. The drought had been raging for months. Everywhere bare brown earth; not a blade of green in sight; sheep and cattle lying dead; flies and heat. I hated it—I thought it the cruellest place on earth!

But now! After inches of glorious rain, as if by magic a transformation scene has taken place. Thousands of yellow bells nodding on slender green stems; purple peas trailing among them; daisies, yellow buttercups, and some of the most beautiful grasses I have ever seen. It is all beautiful! Our old homestead is filled with bowls of flowers.

Somewhat, I feel that I owe old Mother Earth an apology for my lack of faith, and so I am writing this letter to your paper, knowing it is the means whereby many Australian women give their views.

Mrs. A. Jensen, "Pikedale," Collarenebri, N.S.W.

NOT REAL LOVE

RE MRS. S. Rowe's paragraph regarding loving more than one. I for one do not agree with her, as I think you can only love once. Some think they love, but it is only infatuation, and when the right one comes along you think how silly you have been. And then again some marry and find out when it is too late that it is not love, but they were infatuated, and either keep going or end in the Divorce Court. So my answer is, no, you can only love once, no matter what your nature is like.

Mrs. R. Tidey, 18 Sexton St., South Brisbane.

IDEAL OPPOSITES

MY opinion is that people of opposite tastes make ideal marriages. Very often dullness is the evil that upsets the most romantic marriage. Each person having opposite tastes gives the necessary spice of variety we crave. By going fifty-fifty in all things, this couple have a double share of happiness, because when one we love is happy, we are.

Mrs. E. Hunt, William St., Mordialloc, Vic.

GOOD-BYE, AND GO

YES, I quite agree with Lorna Abel. So often many visitors quite stay their welcomes by the good-byes in the drawing-room, hall, veranda, and finally, at the gate. Women are the greatest offenders. Men are not so troublesome unless when love's young dream attacks them, and then, young and old, aren't we all? We should form a society, "Say good-bye, and go."

M. Redford, 90 Beach Rd., Darling Point, N.S.W.

NEW SERIAL

MAY I be allowed a short space to congratulate the authors of our new serial, "A Prince of Good Fellows." I think it is quite the best serial we have had. It is so original and humanly tragic, and you feel as though you have read something worth reading.

Miss Thelma Roberts, "Iona," Guyra, N.S.W.

FLATTERY?

IS all praise flattery? Some people say it is, but I don't agree. Supposing Miss B asked me if I liked her dress? I would certainly say "yes" if I did, but I could hardly say "no" if I didn't like it, so would find some feature in it that was praiseworthy and comment on it but I wouldn't carry the matter to battery. The best idea is to avoid asking another's opinion if one is not willing to accept the truth whether flattering or not. Home truths are not always acceptable, but I for one would prefer an honest opinion to pleasing flattery.

Miss J. H. Delpratt, Perch Creek, Duaringa, Qld.

Teachers' Treatment of Children
Patience Used

I DISAGREE with Mrs. Lomas (The Australian Women's Weekly, 10/3/34) with regard to rough and impatient teachers. I know a number of young girl teachers, and all were very indignant on reading the letter in question. My own sister is a teacher in the infants' school, has taught now for some years, and I can truthfully say that I have never seen anyone loveller with children—gentle and patient in her treatment of them.

Miss J. Anderson, 34 Patrick St., Hurstville, N.S.W.

Ended in Tears

I QUITE agree with Mrs. Lomas regarding rough teachers. While looking on at a school treat at Christmas time, I noticed the kiddies marching along to receive a soft drink each. Some of the kiddies drank this quickly, but one little girl was rather timid and seemed to take more time. Up came the teacher, gave the child such a hit on the back, saying "Hurry up, can't you? Don't stand there all day." The poor child split her drink and ended in tears. How did that little girl enjoy her Christmas treat?

Mrs. M. Williams, 177 Tyler St., E. Preston, Melbourne.

Patience of Job

I WONDER if I may say a word in defense of the schoolteacher—that underpaid and overworked member of the Public Service. The teacher's lot would be a great deal easier if only parents taught children to respect him; and even though their opinion of him may not be high, they need not discuss his shortcomings in the presence of the children.

As to the impatient teachers—well, perhaps if parents changed places with a teacher of fifty pupils just for a day they might find their patience tried, too!

Miss J. Wright, Ogilvie St., Blayney, N.S.W.

In Minority

ROUGH teachers are in the minority, and should study child psychology, and I quite agree with "Proud Mother" that they should be reported. Nothing is ever gained by cowing a child or being rough, and every one responds to kindness and gentleness. There is the mother woman and the other woman usually in teachers, so I'm afraid "Proud Mother" has no redress.

A. Walker, 23 Avoca St., Bondi, N.S.W.

Screen Oddities

Choosing a Name
for the Baby
Parents Differ!

In regard to naming the baby I do not consider the choosing of a name should cause any quarrel between man and wife. I think the wife should decide on a name, and the husband should willingly submit to same. After all what's in a name?"

Mrs. M. Sparkes, Thorrold St., Woolloomooloo, Brisbane.

French Way

In answer to Mrs. Overall as to who should name the baby (The Australian Women's Weekly, 10/3/34), our family has for at least three generations (and maybe longer) observed what we understand is a French custom, handed down from our forbears, and that is: That the father has the naming of the sons, and the mother of the daughters.

Mrs. Agnes M. Boyle, Inglewood, Vic.

Mother's Right

MY opinion is that as the mother has all the suffering in bringing children into the world, she should name the first child, and if a second name is given, the father could add his favorite, and then the father should name the second child if there is one. We have four children and never once had an argument over their names. I, as mother, named the first one and father the second and so on. I think if people would only consider the "Fairness In All Things" policy, there would not be nearly so much argument in married life.

Mrs. N. Bacon, Tarce, N.S.W.

Job for Two

AN amicable decision between husband and wife should be our ideal. But does any mother or father alone have the job?

Usually baby's grandmas, sisters, cousins and aunts are all willing to lend a hand!

And the names the poor child sometimes accumulates! Like the Chinese, a "milk-name" should be given when baby is born and then when he is of mature years he, and he alone, should be given the privilege of naming himself. But I suppose the world would be full of just plain Toms, Dicks, Harrys and Charlies.

Mrs. Trafalgar Edgeworth North, 8 Gurner St., St. Kilda, Vic.

By CAPTAIN FAWCETT

RUTH CHATTERTON
LIVED ON A FOOD ALLOWANCE OF
20¢ A DAY WHILE TRYING TO FIND
WORK AS AN ACTRESS IN NEW YORK.

PAUL LUKAS WON HIS
FIRST SCREEN RECOGNITION BY
WALKING THROUGH A REAL
BLIZZARD STRIPPED TO THE
WAIST---A ROLE THAT NO ONE
ELSE WOULD ACCEPT.

A NEWSREEL CAMERAMAN FILMED THE
ENTIRE NOTRE DAME-SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
FOOTBALL GAME BEFORE HE DISCOVERED
THE LENS WAS COVERED.

WHO'S WHOSE
ELEANOR BOARDMAN IS WED TO KING VIDOR
BARBARA STANWYCK IS WED TO FRANK FAY

Equal Pay for
Equal Work
Women v. Men

I AGREE with Mrs. Brownsey (The Australian Women's Weekly, 3/3/34) that women are more conscientious and naturally more self-sacrificing. Equal ability most certainly should be given an equal chance. Recently a lady refused to join a prominent woman's organisation because she considered girls were receiving too much attention, taking jobs away from the boys, and refusing to do their own work. She declared it was impossible to obtain a reliable maid because girls were educated above their station. Vainly I tried to point out that it was the system, not the girls, that was to blame. Had we equal pay for equal work matters would adjust themselves. There is much work suitable for both sexes.

Leanora Rudkin, Kensington, Adelaide.

One Condition

I AGREE with Mrs. Brownsey that equal pay should be given for equal work, with one reservation. Women are now acknowledged as "equals" of men (gracious favor!)—both in their ability to do the same work, and in their right to independence. By all means let us fight for equal pay for single men and women, but I think the married man should be paid according to the number of his dependents as well as according to the work he does. Consequently, he should receive more than a single man or woman doing the same job. His important job of training the future generation cannot be done properly without sufficient means.

M. Adams, Samford Rd., Mitchelton, Brisbane.

Unfair Department

MEN and women should be given equal pay for equal work. In this respect women are most unjustly treated by the Victorian Education Department, where women get only four-ninths of the salary

From 2UW every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 2 to 3 p.m., Dorothea Vautier discusses "So They Say" topics.

"Y" FOR LOVE

MRS. A. BROCK objects to "hubby" as a reference to friend husband (The Australian Women's Weekly, 10/3/34) because it is not a word in the dictionary.

"Hubby" is a term of endearment expressing much more warmth of feeling than the term "husband."

The "Y" ending to names seems to be the regular thing with young children, for little Tom becomes "Tommy," and so on. And doesn't mother like that name for the little son? And he replies "Mummy." Isn't there depth in that extra syllable that can never be reached by the first half of the word? Mother never thinks it silly to be termed "Mummy," nor Father to be called "My Daddy." It isn't silly, it is just a softness born of love.

R. L. C. Hill, Court House, North Sydney.

BE POPULAR

ARE you one of those people who are not popular, but would like to be? Follow these rules, and then take a look around and see the change.

Forget yourself. Don't talk of yourself to others; instead, ask them questions about themselves. Study people, and learn to know where their interests

ETIQUETTE

ARRIVE at the theatre early and be seated in time. Don't hurry in after the performance has commenced; other people may be annoyed and inconvenienced.

Then you will know the better just how to talk to them. Read the papers; a little knowledge gives boundless confidence. Be natural.

Lastly, to quote . . . "If a woman knows what colors suit her best, she can retain her charm for an indefinite time."

Miss K. G. Porter, "Karawatta," Jimbour, Qld.

SMALL DUTIES

I WONDER how many business girls realise the deadly monotony of housework, the same routine day after day, year after year.

Children are essentially selfish. We forget as we grow into womanhood the thousand and one things we demanded as children. Whole days sacrificed, and even nights, yet to give in exchange a few hours of our precious half-holiday is the last thing we expect.

When we have a home of our own, and experience the difficulties and worries attached, we look back to the days when we were girls, and mother asked us to do this or that. Only then do we realise what a little was really expected.

Yes, business girls, you should help a little.

Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, Henry St., Werris Creek, N.S.W.

LONG TALKIE SHOWS

I WOULD like to voice an opinion on the talkie programmes as given us in the suburban theatres.

I suppose if we go to town to the "talkies" we expect a good big programme to make it seem worth while.

Quite often, however, when we go to our own local theatres, it is to see one special picture which we have rather looked forward to viewing.

We are then compelled to sit through either a very mediocre or even puerile supporting picture, or a number of shorts, half of which are quite uninteresting, then endure an interval, during which one becomes surrounded by discarded ice-cream and confectionery containers, before being permitted to enjoy the picture of the evening.

Why cannot the picture be put on before the interval and let us go home to bed if we do not care to watch the supporting programme?

Mrs. M. Harvey, 227 Ocean St., Narrabeen, N.S.W.

THE AUSTRALIAN WOMEN'S WEEKLY

HOME BEAUTIFUL

A special section devoted to the interests of home-lovers

The Story of this new HOME... Section

So warm has been the welcome accorded to The Australian Women's Weekly since its inception that in thousands of homes in the Commonwealth, this paper is now regarded as a household necessity.

IN its bright, attractive, and comprehensive presentation of news of special interest to women, its splendid fiction section, its fashion and pattern services, its knitting, needle-work, health, beauty, cooking, home-craft, and other features, The Australian Women's Weekly has opened a new era in newspaper services to women.

With this issue, The Australian Women's Weekly is happy to present an important addition to these existing services. The section which commences here is devoted wholly to the service of the woman in the home. No increase has been made in the price of the paper.

THE Australian Women's Weekly could already proudly claim to be the best woman's paper obtainable for twopenny in the whole world. With the addition of this section it represents value and service which are nothing short of amazing.

The new home section was undertaken by The Australian Women's Weekly in direct response to the wishes of thousands of women readers, and because the story of its addition to the paper is a revelation of how The Australian Women's Weekly endeavors to give the utmost service to women, it is briefly outlined here.

THE Australian Women's Weekly is a young paper. It was founded at a time when times were very hard indeed and many people prophesied that a new newspaper could not hope to succeed. Believing, however, that a newspaper which earnestly endeavored to present women with news, with bright, entertaining articles, good fiction, and special fashion, beauty, and other services of exclusive interest to women must meet with the cordial approval of women the founders of The Australian Women's Weekly refused to be disheartened by pessimists, and the paper duly made its bow to the public of women readers.

The result was unprecedented in any newspaper's experience. Orders for the new paper poured in so copiously that the demand became almost overwhelming.

To-day The Australian Women's Weekly has the largest circulation of any weekly paper in the Commonwealth, and —it keeps on growing!

THE next step, in the opinion of The Australian Women's Weekly, was to endeavor to find which features in the paper made the most powerful appeal to women. When the popularity of the various features was gauged it was felt the appeal of certain sections could be widened. So The Australian Women's Weekly set out on the difficult and expensive task of securing a representative survey of readers' opinions. This meant, among other things, sending forth a small army of canvassers armed with questionnaires. No other Australian newspaper for women has attempted such a referendum, but The Australian Women's Weekly feels that it has been well worth the trouble and expense involved to secure a candid survey of what its women readers value most in the paper, and what features they would like to see enlarged.

Briefly, the result of that referendum was that while women were delighted with the existing news, fiction, and services of the paper, there was an overwhelming demand for an increase in the home services.

This new section is the answer to these requests.

Its aim is to give readers authoritative information on the newest trends in modern furniture and furnishings, and



THE VERY SPIRIT of home is captured in this beautiful study of Miss Lela Forsayth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. C. Forsayth, of "Vaucluse Hall," Vaucluse. One of the most beautiful of Sydney homes, "Vaucluse Hall," a few years ago, was a landmark in the district. Many fine homes have since been built in the environs, making the facade less conspicuous, but the passing years have mellowed "Vaucluse Hall" into a deeper beauty, and the carefully-kept garden, entered through frangipanni trees, takes on new loveliness with each passing season.

—Australian Women's Weekly photo.

practical expert assistance with furnishing problems.

Modern home surroundings aid us materially to keep in tune with changing conditions, and provide a powerful stimulus to the retaining of a healthy and youth-preserving interest in modern life.

To-day, the whole trend of furniture and furnishings is towards grace and simplicity of design, beauty of coloring, good cheer—all of which add to the graciousness and charm of life. Definitely, too, to-day's furniture is planned with far greater regard to the comfort and convenience of the women in the home than the furniture of any other period.

The Australian Women's Weekly is confident women will like this new home section, and will welcome any helpful suggestions or criticisms from its readers.

Highlights of Modern Furniture!

MODERN furniture provides so many satisfying avenues for the expression of individuality that the modern woman is known by the furniture she keeps.

THE modern woman has discarded hoop dresses, a multiplicity of petticoats, and numberless other cumbersome frocking fashions of the past. How can she be expected to be content with old-fashioned furniture?

WHERE are the antimacassars of the past, and the counterpanes—back-breaking to launder, weighty, and without warmth? Where are the dust-col-

lecting hangings, the fringes, the mantelpiece drapings, the heavy curtains? Who mourns their loss? What woman wouldn't prefer similarly to consign to the dust-heaps of oblivion much of the ugly, intricate, dust-collecting furniture of the same eras?

MODERN furniture likes sunshine and fresh air. It abhors dust. It knows that the average woman is not a giantess, so it takes to itself convenient height, simple lines, easily-cleaned surfaces. It is healthful and practical.

IT knows the wear and tear of compressed conditions of modern life, so it strives to be cheerful and labor-saving.

in working hours, and luxurious and restful in lounging-time.

IT knows the modern feeling for color and the demand of modern scientists for happiness in the environment, so it specializes in lovely color harmonies and cheering contrasts. It takes the rainbow for its playmate and is enriched with some of the precious optimism and happy thoughts that lie in the crook o' gold at the rainbow's end.

IT is streamlined for beauty. And, at its best, it is a most helpful handmaiden towards the setting of modern life into gracious and harmonious living.

Combining BEAUTY With UTILITY ...

Woven Cane Furniture... for Your Breakfast Room

The modern feeling for brightness has had a happy effect on the breakfast-room, which may now be made one of the most colorful and charming in the home.

LOOK at the picture at the right. Doesn't it arouse the immediate desire to acquire a breakfast-room so cheerily and conveniently furnished?

This woven cane furniture, though light, is remarkably solid in construction, durable in wear, pleasing to the eye, and, what is important, reasonable in price.

Consider, too, such fascinating furniture adorning a sun room where, in addition to breakfast, luncheon can be served amid happy, colorful surroundings.

If your home is not provided with a sun room, remember that a most delightful room can be made on an unused back verandah.

And here is a suggestion for the furnishing of this room that has definite possibilities, with little expense entailed.

It is of utmost importance to have

a gay color scheme, more especially as the present trend is to have the other rooms of the house colored in pastel or neutral shades. Make the breakfast room different—make it a place of reflected sunshine in every corner.

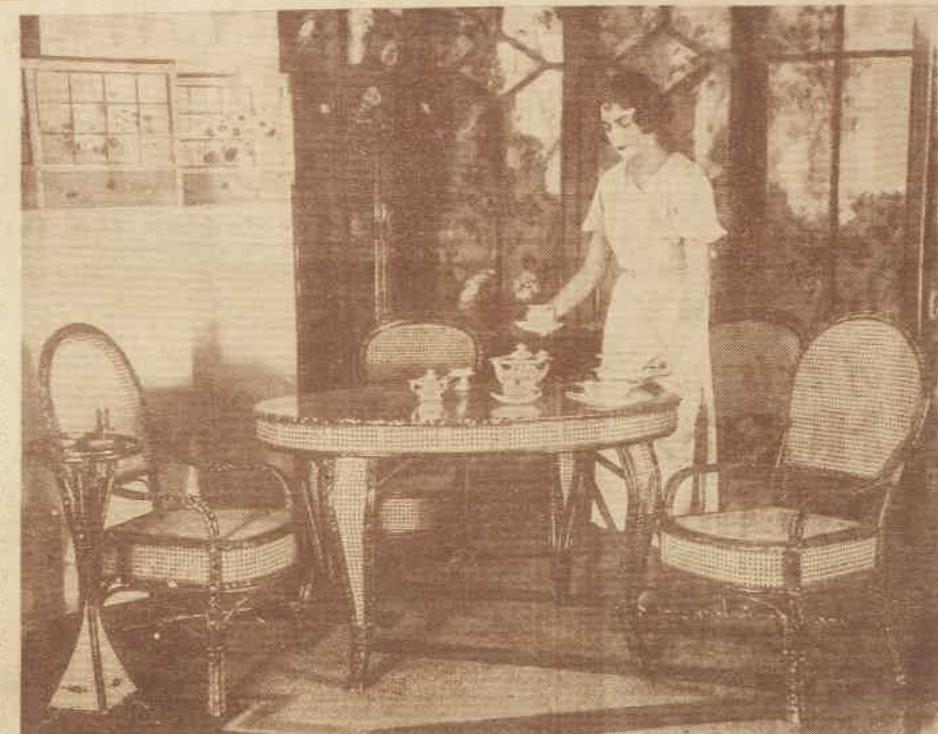
Take, for example, the attractive combination of bright green and vivid orange. First enclose as large a section of the verandah as possible. Then wire-gauze the rest—that is a very important part in our remodelling of the verandah. Too much stress cannot be laid upon this, for all the pleasures of a room are gone if flies are about worrying us not only with their presence, but with the potential danger they represent.

Stain the boards with a dark brown color, and put down a large Oriental mat in an orange and green design. This mat is light and can be easily taken up for cleaning.

Pour woven cane chairs, as illustrated,

brightened by their orange and green

edges and legs, will be ideal, and a delightful table of the same type will complete the necessary furniture.



This table may be glass-topped or lacquered in a vivid green. If you prefer the glass top, a good idea is to have a pretty tablecloth toning with the furniture underneath.

If a carpenter is handy, get him to put a shelf outside about 4 ft from the ground round the flyproof gauze. On this shelf you can place window boxes.

Lacquer the boxes a deep orange shade, and plant masses of flowers that tone with the rest of the color scheme.

These window boxes greatly enhance the beauty of the breakfast-room, and if you wish to venture further into the flower world, why not have some big baskets of different ferns arranged artistically outside the gauze?

Now visualise this verandah with the one now lying idle and empty. Think

MAKE BREAKFAST one of the most delightful meals of the day by furnishing a breakfast-room with the very latest woven cane furniture. In this picture you glimpse a charming example carried out in orange and green tones, which harmonises wonderfully with the natural color of the cane.

Photo: By courtesy of Mark Foy's.

of its comfortable, woven cane chairs, its colorful mat, its lacquered window boxes . . . and then think how inexpensively this transformation can be achieved, and you will surely feel the urge to try your hand at making a new breakfast-room—a real sun room full of color, sunshine, and fresh air.



NEARLY EVERYBODY COOKS with GAS



Almost every home in the Sydney metropolitan area uses gas for cooking, and practically every new home that is built is equipped with an up-to-date gas stove. People prefer gas because it is so simple and straightforward, does all kinds of cooking perfectly, costs far less than any other kind of heat, and never lets them down.

New kinds of stoves come and go, but gas stoves come and stay, as shown by the fact that 96 out of every 100 homes in the metropolitan area cook with gas.

Our system of new appliances for old enables you to trade in your old gas stove as part payment for one of the very latest models—one fitted with all the latest improvements and finished in the new indestructible mottled enamel. Use this "easy-purchase" plan to modernise your kitchen.

Look for the "Seal of Efficiency" before you buy a gas stove. This Seal denotes that the appliance complies with the standards laid down by the Testing Laboratory of The N.S.W. Commercial Gas Association. It is a guarantee of faithful service and economical results.

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CLEVER IDEAS.

TO REMOVE a ring too tight for the finger, take a needle threaded with strong thread, and wind tightly about the finger, beginning at the finger tip and progressing upwards. When you reach the ring, slip the head of the needle under it and draw the thread through. Now unwind the thread and the ring will slip down the compressed finger, coming off quite easily.—Mrs. G.E.J., "Kurra," 23 Grove Street, Newcastle.

NEVER THROW away orange and lemon peel. There are many uses to which it can be put. A piece of lemon peel boiled with towels or tea cloths makes them very white. Into a well-stoppered jar put lumps of sugar and fresh lemon peel. Leave for a few days, then crush the sugar. This will be found delicately flavored with lemon, and will be useful for sprinkling over puddings and pancakes. The rinds may also be dried slowly in the oven, and used for cooking with apples. Fresh orange peel is good for restoring black shoes that do not look very smart. Rub well with the inside of the rind, and polish with a soft cloth. Dry some pieces of orange peel well, and put them into the tea caddy, renewing them every ten days. These will very much improve the flavor of the tea.—"Mrs. L.O." West End, Brisbane, Qld.

WHEN MAKING pies or biscuits, I always roll my dough out on a large sheet of waxed paper placed upon my work-table. Then all the mess of baking can be cleared away by simply rolling up this paper and burning it, and there is no sticky board, covered with dough, to scrape and wash—"Aloha," Darling Pt. Rd., Darling Point, N.S.W.

THERE ARE times when thorns and prickles are run into some part of the body, and generally just at that time, the tweezers are nowhere to be found. Well, in the future, if you have a new pen-nib handy, use that, and it will be found most invaluable. Place the nib between two fingers and thumb, and press open, then place it over the thorn and allow it to revert into its natural position, and you will find that the thorn has been completely removed.—Miss B. Thorburn, 25 Massey Street, Gladesville.

BEFORE WASHING new cotton materials, allow them to soak for several hours in cold water in which a little Epsom salts have been dissolved. Then wash them in a warm soapy lather made of "Lux" or mild shredded soap. Rinse well in tepid water. To the last rinsing water add a little borax or sugar to stiffen the material. When washing children's cotton frocks turn them inside out to dry in the sun, or hang in the shade to prevent fading. When washing garments with patent fasteners, close the fasteners before putting through the wringer. This will save the fasteners and prevent holes in the material.—"Carol," Port Pirie, S.A.

WHEN SEWING on snap-fasteners sew all one side first, then rub some white chalk over it and press against the other side of the material. This not only marks the correct place for the other half of the fastener, but ensures a perfect fit.—A.A.

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PLANNING a Cosy Autumn VERANDAH

EASTERN craftsmanship inspires gay Dhurries that are very cosy and cheerful!

Evenings are cooler; so let us make the verandah cosy for autumn. Later, when winter comes, warmth can be added by the cheery, glowing electric radiator. For the present, sunshine during daytime hours will warm the verandah sufficiently.

WHEN planning to make the verandah cooler, the first help at hand is the rug. Rugs laid over flooring give, in addition to foot warmth, the cheerfulness of bright coloring. A delightful rug for the verandah is the beautiful, closely woven Indian Dhurrie, manufactured in India of strong cotton. It is reversible, washable, light, and easy to move. And it has a romance.

Once it played a part as one of India's handicrafts, born of Indian artistic genius; a craft practised by father and son for generations. In those days Dhurries were rare; they were works of art woven on hand looms by Indian villagers in the immemorial Indian village. In and around Cawnpore, a cotton-growing district, looms were piled and exquisite colorings planned.

The East India Company established an important frontier station of its activities at Cawnpore, and the craft of the Indian Dhurrie flourished under its aegis. Gradually came the machine age, usurping the place of the handicraft. The manufacturer superseded the weaver with his loom.

The Dhurrie has, in consequence, passed from its native land to trade



A COSY CORNER of the ideal Autumn verandah. The artistic modern treatment of the lounge enhances both its comfort and charm, and the gay dhurries which adorn the floor are important notes in the decorative scheme. The coloring of the dhurries is matched in the attractive cretonne upholstering of the lounge.

—Photo by courtesy of Anthony Horderns.

parts of the world; and now lovely designs of Eastern craftsmen brighten homes all the world over.

The gay colors of the Dhurries can be matched, now, in the canvas of sun-blinds and deck chairs. These, in turn, can be planned to harmonise with beautifully made Australian mottled split cane furniture, decorated with lacquered lacings.

A wire spring divan in mottled cane is cosy with cretonne cushion and pl-

low, and makes the verandah a rest room. For those little intimate tea parties in which women delight, the cosy-furnished verandah is a happy background, carried out in orange and jade mottled split cane. The table on which a dainty tea may be laid is in Australia.

Queen Anne design, oval shaped, with jade green top, handwoven cane sides and cabriole legs.

Thus beauty comes to the autumn verandah, inspired by craftsmanship of ancient India, united with skill of modern

Australia.

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HOME IDEAS at the ROYAL SHOW

A Miniature World, Created Largely for Women...by Women

In the annual pageant of industry and commerce, of manufacture and produce, the excited, noisy, bustling, miniature world that is the Royal Show, women play a most important part.

"WITHOUT the women there just wouldn't be a Show," says Mr. Rafferty, assistant secretary of the Royal Agricultural Society. "It is the women who create the audience, stimulate the interest, and above all, contribute to the exhibits in such a way as to make them completely illustrative of Australian products."

To capture the interest of women the largest city houses will strive to outdo each other in their displays of household wares, which range from luxurious modern furnishings to everyday household commodities.

Women from the country districts will make the usual splendid display of jams and preserves, of home-made butter and cheese, potted meats and succulent ham—to the envy of the city woman, who receives all these commodities through a series of "middle" men, and feels, when she looks at these luscious wares, how much she is losing in being herself unable to "create" them!

THE district exhibits, under whose banners these delectable goods will be arranged, include two from Queensland and five from N.S.W. This year, for the first time, the Hunter River and Liverpool Plains district will have an exhibit, and one can expect something very outstanding from such a fertile country.

In addition to the foodstuffs, district exhibits will include a multiplicity of articles made by the women who live on the farms. For twelve months residents of the respective districts have been striving to contribute to their exhibit. Sewing and weaving, home carpentry, and knitting, every pursuit at which country women attain such prowess, will be represented.

GARDEN lovers will find many exhibits to fascinate them from the domain of the jolliest and most delicate of blooms to the sturdy, colorful shrubs and homely vegetables.

A COMPLETE cottage will be constructed by a building firm to show just how attractively and inexpensively fibro-cement can be used by the prospective home-builder.

Music firms will display the newest models in pianos and in radios; furniture firms will demonstrate just how artistic and effective the most modern ideas of furnishings can be, while the plumbing that evolved the most amazing bathrooms and the ingenuity that devises extraordinarily versatile appliances to simplify housework, can all be examined at leisure.

Household commodities, too, both in the matter of foods and preparations for cleaning and polishing will be represented, and the inevitable "samples" sold with the laudable object of demonstrating the qualifications of each.

SEWING machines are another feature that every homemaker will be looking for, and every variety of cooking appliances, from the most modern gas and electric cookers to the more commonplace pots and pans.

Among the more recent appliances for alleviating the stress of housework, one finds washing and washing-up machines. A contrivance into which one thrusts the machinery in motion, and stands by to watch the garments emerge snow white, is something too good to be missed!

The washing-up machine will also challenge attention, and appeal to every member of the family who is liable to be confronted with this all-too-common task. That piles of greasy dishes can be competently dealt with by a machine, is a notion that will surely cheer the heart of the housewife. So many and so varied are the Royal Show's offerings that every woman should leave it benefited by the acquisition of much fresh, interesting knowledge of immense practical use to her.

Fragrant POT POURRI

How to Make It!

In answer to a number of requests from readers, we give here a simple recipe for potpourri.

OP the first importance is to have all the ingredients for potpourri perfectly dry. The flowers should be gathered on a fine day when the dew is off them, but before the sun is too powerful. It is advisable not to use flowers which contain too much moisture.

The larger proportion of your collection will most probably be rose petals, and this is as it should be, for the perfume from these is exquisitely fragrant. Of course, the petals of all the flowers should be picked clear of the green, and should be thoroughly dried by being laid on trays—newspapers bent up to form trays will do—and taken out into the sun and turned over and over until perfectly dry. If more convenient, the trays of petals can be put near the glass on a sunny window sill; however, do not leave them out in the night air to become limp again.

Then, to every pound of petals allow half an ounce of crushed sandalwood, half an ounce of Orris root, and a quarter of an ounce each of dried lavender, cinnamon bark, and powdered cloves.

Mix all well together with the petals, then put in a jar, tie securely, and leave for two or three weeks.



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The "Lisbon" Suite is designed for comfort in the minimum of space—not skimped in the making. Covering is beautiful quality tapestry in gold and green, and tan-toe tones; full-polished show-wood arms and sides, with cane panels. All seats are very well sprung. Cash Price, Complete, £18'19'6. Terms arranged. Separate Chairs may be bought at £1'17'6.



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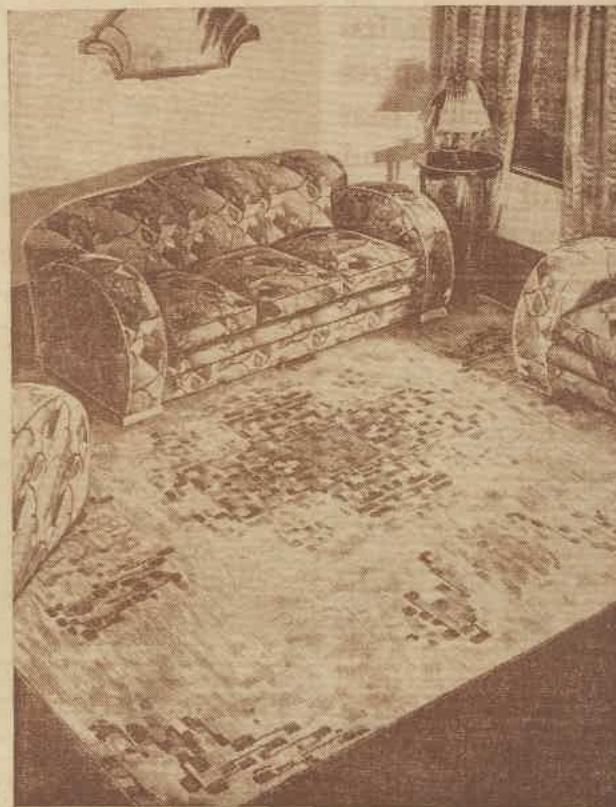
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12ft. x 9ft. £14'12'6

The "GWENITH" Lounge Suite is upholstered in good tapestry of pleasing soft pattern, and has inner spring loose cushions. £19'17'6

Art Moderne frameless Mirror, 24'12'6. Occasional Table, full-polished, 23'6. Art Moderne Table Lamp, chromium plated, with parchment shade .. 67'6



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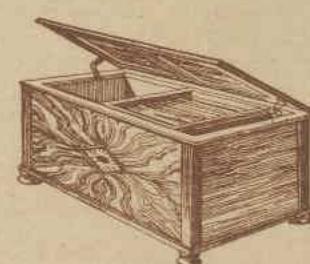
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Many are the benefits conferred on the modern home by the march of progress. Interior decorating has become an art attracting the attention of highly-gifted men and women and the cleverest brains concern themselves with problems of furnishing. And by far the greater amount of all this studying, designing and creating is directed towards the needs, not of the wealthy home-owners, but of the homes lived in by people of average income.

EVEN the apparently unimportant subject of dust in furniture has been dealt with effectively. Vacuum cleaners look after the floor, but much of the furniture looks after itself and does it well, too.

The latest furniture is made almost entirely without creases and crevices. Straight lines solve the problem. All those intricacies featured in old-fashioned furniture have disappeared.

In their place are graceful lines—symmetrical and flattering to any room.

Another noticeable feature of the new furniture is the absence of mirrors in sideboards and wardrobes. This does not mean that wardrobes are unnatural to those who want to see their reflections frequently; the mirrors as often as not are neatly tucked away on some inside section.

What is more, the inside of furniture nowadays is as beautiful as the outside. Polished and lacquered, the woodwork is a veritable tribute to masterly workmanship. No rough edges, no warping of wood.

In writing as an advocate of modern furniture, one by no means wishes to decry the old, or to refuse the acknowledgement due to past masters in design and craftsmanship. Every craft and industry has, however, always had to adapt itself to the conditions of the age in which it functions, and it is the business of the artist to express some aspect of the spirit of his time.

An outstanding thing about this modern furniture is that it looks so fresh and clean—and joyous.

Besides the question of style, which to-day tends very much to square lines, flat surfaces, simple mouldings, and the use of an increasing variety of beautiful woods in their natural state, there are certain considerations, such as the de-



YOUNG MODERNS in a modern setting which reveals some of the most interesting trends in modern lounge room settings. The chair, gracefully shaped, is tailored in an artistic tapestry which agrees happily with the color toning of the carpet. Note the pillar design of the occasional table. This is definitely "new," but it owes its inspiration to the architectural genius of Ancient Rome! Of convenient height, it reflects, in its mirror-polished veneers, the glow of a lamp of a clever, new design and richly-colored shade. The charm of modernity at its best is also captured by the fascinating cabinet from which the hostess is hospitably dispensing a fruit cocktail as a pick-me-up for her guest.

—Photo by courtesy of Pashford's Furniture Showrooms.

sire for compactness, comfort and labor-saving in modern homes, which are bound to make practical people turn to the modern designer for a solution of some of their pressing domestic problems.

The old-fashioned pieces are not what most people really want. They would prefer to have things especially made for them to the required sizes, the right number of drawers, the right feeling for their modern rooms . . . tables that fold up and tuck away for small homes; low dressing-tables with tall mirrors, properly fitted cupboards for bedrooms—everything compact and economical.

Then, again, consider the utter comfort of the low, deep-seated chairs (note, for example, the one showing in the picture), a joy to sink into, wherein one can relax—and let the world go by. This type of chair, with its luxurious lines, gives a room that happy "lived-in" look as well as "welcome to our home" kind of feeling.

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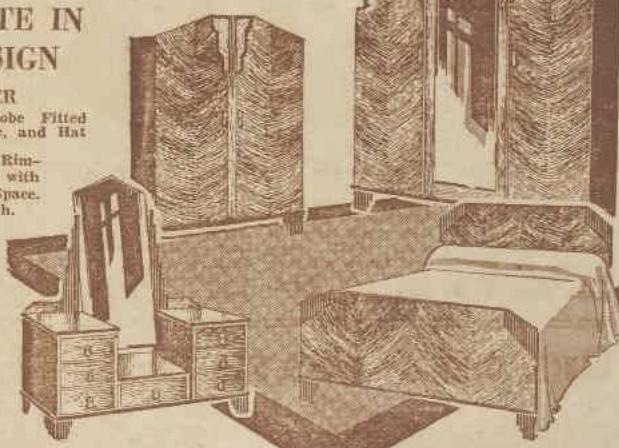
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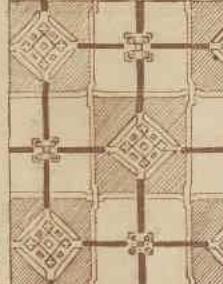
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with passe-partout binding... it's both easy & inexpensive.

OME of the smartest pictures I have seen decorating charming little homes were those framed with passe-partout binding. This can be purchased by the roll ever so cheaply from most stationers and the bigger stores in a fine range of colors. Dark grey or black, however, are best for the amateur.

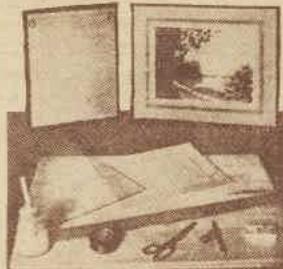
THE framing of pictures costs money. That is why so many attractive prints, etc., lie around the home, are eventually relegated to a box or cupboard, and finally find their frayed and soiled way to the dustbin.

Recently I had given me a few etchings and several clever reproductions of a world-famed artist. Upon inquiry I was told that the cost of framing would be in the vicinity of £2.

So I set to work and had glass cut to size in each instance, purchased a roll of passe-partout binding, a box of tiny metal hangers, cardboard for mounting purposes, and a jar of "clay". (You can make your own paste by mixing flour with cold water and then hot water, as you would starch.)

One roll of the binding was sufficient for six pictures, and the cost was less than one-third the price quoted for framing.

A safety-razor blade was used for cutting the cardboard, which was cut exactly the same size as the glass. The



ALL the materials required for framing. Note the back of picture showing the way in which the fasteners are inserted.

next step was to insert the metal clip-hangers in the cardboard mount. These were inserted 1 in. from the top and 1 in. from each side.

Incidentally, if you use hangers that are just pasted on they can be left until the picture is framed. It is always advisable, too, to place a piece of thick paper between the picture and the mount if clip-hangers are used.

The picture is now placed on top of the mount. Around each edge draw a fine line—about 1 in. from the edge. This is the guiding line for the pasting on of the binding.

Put the glass on top of the picture and the mount, taking care that the edges are even all round.

Now measure the longest side of the picture and cut a strip from the roll of binding 1 in. longer than this. Press this the reverse way of the curl, using the back of a penknife so that it will lie flat. Apply paste to the length (one half only), and lay this carefully on the glass side of the picture following the drawn guiding line. Press with cloth firmly until it is firmly glued.

Turn the picture over, paste and press

Sunny Colors for Sunny Homes

HAS it ever occurred to you how beautiful orange can be for sunny rooms?

Use it for figured hangings with short glass curtains in yellow net. The effect is stimulating.

Try red-orange and orange-yellow striped fabric for verandah or porch chairs and cushions.

Orange with turquoise, sea blue, or any other blue you fancy, makes an enchanting contrast. Rugs, small lacquered tables, flower bowls, lamp bases carried out in blue will create an atmosphere of coolness and charm on the hottest day, while an illusion of warmth and sunshine will be given the room on the coldest day because of the color and beauty of the orange employed.



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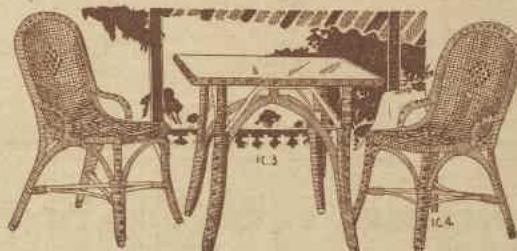
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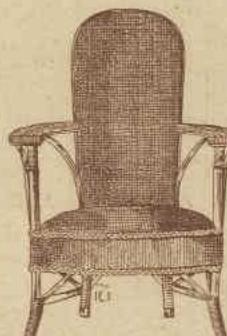
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YOUR STOVE ... Liability or Asset?

The kitchen is essentially the workshop of the home, and with the increased appreciation of labor-saving devices it tends to become a more scientific workshop every day.

THE tendency nowadays is to combine kitchen and scullery in one well-planned apartment with up-to-date fittings. Building contractors also see no reason why the model kitchen should



LITTLE time and little gas are needed to bring water to boil in the light, bright utensils which grace the modern gas stove, and the application of any patent cleaner keeps them always bright.

not rejoice in a color scheme as effective as its equipment is efficient.

The modern gas stove is clean in every respect. Thus the era of light and more attractive pots and pans has come to stay.

Clean and economical gas stoves have relieved women largely from the slavery of the kitchen. The modern stove stands well above the floor to facilitate cleaning and to obviate stooping. Thus the busy housewife enjoys the comfort of

having the oven at eye-level. The space can be arranged by the architect or builder to accommodate the saucepans.

Newer gas stoves and ranges are mostly enamelled inside and out. The work of keeping them clean, consequently, is reduced to the mere act of wiping them with a damp cloth. The latest improvement is a regulator which enables the heat of the oven to be kept at the required temperature, that temperature being maintained as long as may be desired.

The modern gas cooker has eliminated the unclean grease-battered oven shelf, supports and grid. Shelves are now carried directly from the smooth enamelled slides.

The Australian Gas Light Company supplies the following heat-chart, which may be used by those who work with a thermometer:

Very hot oven, 450deg. F.

Hot oven, 400deg. F.

Moderate oven, 350deg. F.

Very moderate or slow oven, 250deg. F.

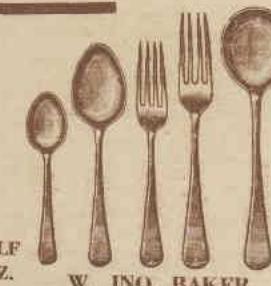
Manufacturers of modern stoves are endeavoring to do away with rule of thumb methods. In the past most housewives have gauged the temperature of the oven by guesswork or from their experience. Many a one has made mistakes through miscalculating the precise heat.

The latest stoves, however, are being fitted with thermostats which regulate the temperature of the oven to any degree required. In some cases the heat of the stove is regulated in degrees on the Fahrenheit thermometer. In others the temperature is not indicated in degrees but the thermostat can be placed in any of twelve positions, varying the heat accordingly.

A chart shows the cook just which position to use, although in actual practice most women quickly learn to use the thermostatically-controlled stove without reference to the chart.

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Goblets, cocktail glasses, candy-jars and candlesticks, footed tumblers, slender-stem ware of every sort—dozens and dozens of things with the fascination of fine glassware—constitute beautiful utility ornaments.

The magnificent Orrefors glass, illustrated on this page, is an importation from Sweden, which has many of the finest glass artists in the world.

Delicacy, coupled with durability, is embodied in all samples of this smoke-colored ware, the very color of which is one of its greatest recommendations. What dinner service could possibly look "unmatched" beside this conveniently neutral shade? None!

Smoke-color glassware not only sets off its companions on a table, but takes unto itself the misty charm of the surrounding lights—quite different to that cheap sparkle associated with soda fountains.

This exquisite glassware has an added attraction: On each piece of glass is

SWEDISH Orrefors glass.

Note the ex-

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printed the designer's name—truly a fast the thing for tennis parties and for afternoon gatherings.

White crystal embossed with a band of gold and etched in a lotus leaf design fashions delightful bowls and glasses.

The black glass from Holland is ultra smart, and will please home-lovers who are after the unusual.

Gold iridescent bowls, jugs, glasses, and ornamental pieces are very beautiful and have quite a pearly look about them.

Your parties will gain added chic from the use of the new black-stemmed crystal glasses, and the decanters, which have novel black stoppers.

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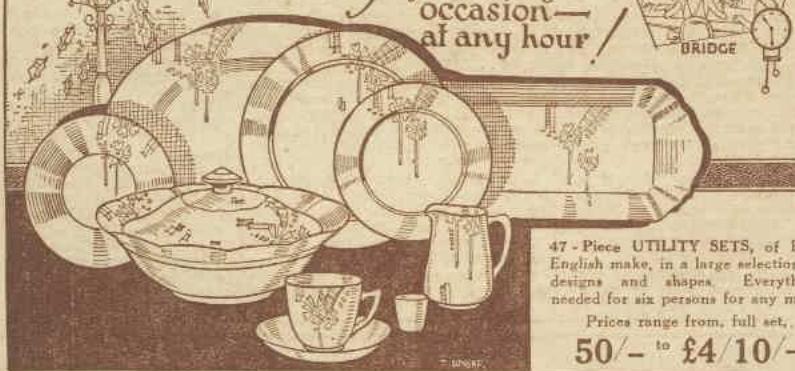
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FOR THIS woman who entertains—no matter whether simply or elaborately—there is an almost bewildering maze of china to choose from at Grace Bros. It seems as if never before have we been tempted with so many exquisite designs and colors. Here, on this charmingly arranged table, you glimpse the beauty of ivory "Woods ware" English china, with its conventional border and flower motif.

—Grace Bros. photo.

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EVERY woman, no matter her station in life, loves fine china. The simplest meal takes on charm if the food is accompanied with attractive china. And there is no getting away from the fact that tea tastes infinitely nicer, in fact becomes a happy ceremony, served in a "good" cup—no matter how plain the design.

TO walk through the china department of one of the big shops is an exciting adventure—like exploring the sweet pea section of a flower show . . . harmonies of pleasing, soft tints, intermingled with bold colorful designs that render more fascinating the whole display.

... You pause here at a table displaying a cream and green luncheon or dinner set. Your instinct tells you it possesses that rare combination of smartness, charm, and restful simplicity.

How much lasting pleasure could be derived from the ownership of that set!

Also, if she is far-seeing, she first makes sure that the service she selects is of what is called a "stock pattern," thus insuring herself against future disappointment when "repeat" items are needed; for breakages unfortunately occur, no matter how carefully we guard against them.

A word or two may be added here about lovely coffee sets which the various manufacturers are producing now, with their quaint shapes and delightful colors.

The illustration on this page shows an exquisite set in pale apple-green paragon china. Note the attractive shape and size of the cups.

By the way, have you noticed that



A LOVELY coffee set of Paragon china, in pale apple green with gilt bands, from Grace Bros. The tray is of carved rosewood.

With care, a lifetime of happy service, besides the satisfaction of arousing the admiration of your friends.

During the past few years there has been a decided revival in home entertaining. Where previously one called up a restaurant and ordered dinner for 6 or 8, and then promptly forgot about it, knowing the management would capably look after all the details, the hostess of to-day spends many measurable hours planning her dinners. And, as home-lovers know full well, nothing can supplant the charm and intimate note of a candle-lit and perfectly appointed table set within the precincts of your own home.

The wise woman, when choosing her dinner set, selects a one-color service that harmonises with her color scheme. This shows to equal advantage with the gay, colorful linens so much in vogue for luncheons and the formal, snowy napery allied to gleaming crystal and silver of the dinner table.

after-dinner coffee is more frequently served in larger cups than of yore?

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THE MIRROR OF SOCIETY

By Jane Anne Seymour



MISS DOROTHY SMITH, daughter of Mrs. A. M. Smith, of Gordon, in the charming frock which she plans to wear at the Governors' Ball, when she will represent a lady of the early colonial period.

—Freeman.

BECAUSE someone started the apostrophe on the wrong path, the notion has got abroad that the Governors' ball is the Governor's ball. The ball was named because it will bring to life, in pageantry, many of the Governors who have helped make Australian history.

HIS EXCELLENCY SIR PHILIP GAME has been most enthusiastic and helpful about the ball, which is in aid of the District Nurses' Association, a cause very dear to the heart of the Governor and Lady Game. Tickets are selling so rapidly, that the success of the event is already assured, and the evening of April 3 should see the Town Hall packed to capacity.

THAT they have chosen the evening before the Governors' ball, when many of their friends might well be getting in a little beauty sleep, doesn't seem to worry Janet Thatcher and Margaret Burns, for they have issued invitations to an "At Home" with dancing, at the Royal Sydney Golf Club, for April 2.

ALTHOUGH she has to be home by Easter, to go to races and other odds and ends, Mrs. James McMaster left Sydney last week for Jervis Bay with a very attractive itinerary planned. After a stay there she will motor to Canberra for a while.

Beaupre Bassett is accompanying her, leaving her mother at "Clifford," Wynd St., with Miss Beatrice Bassett, and Miss Hewpore, of Bathurst, who are down on holiday for consolation.

Later on, Beaupre will go with Mrs. McMaster to Canberra for a short visit.

"IN the cause of good music," Miss Ruby MacDonald, the well-known Sydney violinist-conductor, is planning a performance of "Stabat Mater," for March 26, at the Sydney Town Hall. Rehearsals are well under way, but Miss MacDonald would like it known that there is room for more good voices, especially tenors and young sopranos. Future performances planned include "The Dream of Gerontius," and "Hiawatha."

ROBERT JOHNSON has had many appreciative visitors at the show of paintings he is holding at the Grosvenor Galleries till March 31, and sales are going satisfactorily.

I saw Judge Backhouse deep in admiration before a picture of Burrangong, and it recalled to me that the Judge had once walked there from Picton. He is still a lover of walking, and daily walks into the city from his home in Elizabeth Bay.

MRS. C. G. BERGE went to Vans to join the house party of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Merriman, at "Ravensworth," for the picnic races. On her return, she and Dr. Berge commenced the task of sending out invitations to a cocktail party in honor of Dr. Harry Macgregor Cutler, who is off to New Zealand to compete for the annual Kirk-Windeyer golf prize.

EVER since their boys were little Mr. and Mrs. B. B. O'Connor have gone to Tuggerah for their holidays. This Easter they are keeping up their custom. Their son, Barry, and his bride are accompanying them.

The great attraction is fishing. One sees lots of members of the medical and legal fraternity patiently perched in rowing boats around Tuggerah Lake waiting for a nibble.

MRS. ALEXANDER JOSKE is expecting her son, Major Clive Joske, from Fiji. His stay in Sydney will be very short. Mrs. Joske thinks he will stay about a week with her at "The Green Cottage," Vaucluse.

THEIR many friends are saying good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, who leave shortly for an extended tour of the Continent and America.

IN spite of the fact that it was so very hot, the United Service Institution's dance last Saturday, in honor of General O. P. Phillips, now A.D.C. to the King, was entirely successful, being a very friendly affair.

Owing to the fact that dances usually do not start at the institution until April, and many of the officers were in camp, only 80 instead of any number closer to 1000 were present, and the Air Force was altogether missing. On the other hand, the 80 made especial friends in Jolly Millers and such, seated themselves around the servery (not bar) to chat, and wandered in parties through the Museum.

The books that line the institution's walls have always before, on these occasions, been hidden by draped flags, but on Saturday they were finally disclosed to the public gaze, so authority must have considered the 80 guests entirely trustworthy!

Those present included the guest of honor, General Phillips, who spent much of his time unconventionally leaning or sitting upon tables chattering, and Mrs. Phillips, who was charming in blue; Major H. W. McBride, in full artillery dress complete with red flannel waistcoat (he told us it was borrowed); Major J. S. Wilson, who, in spite of being related to a Duchess, had thought of the red flannel waistcoat, and then of the heat, and succumbed to temptation, and come in civilian clothes, and Miss Nina Bourne, in oyster satin, the only dancer with one of the new trains, which she managed with great aplomb.

MRS. D. E. A. BUCHANAN, a visitor from Rockhampton, will be in Sydney for Easter.

FROM the "Monterey" deck: "Life on the Tasman waves has given me new slants on several men known well to most women in Sydney. Travel on this luxurious liner, 'Monterey,' has worked wonders..."

"Earl Beauchamp, cocktail host to so many of Sydney's brightest young things, sits all day in a lounge corner, in flannels and brown sports coat, supremely content with cigar and novel, and aloof from the brightness about him.

"I didn't realise Mick Polson, America-bound to see his beloved Winooka, was on board until to-day. Scene: The Big Sweep at the 'model' horse races, spurred by dice. Mickey bid for No. 5, which cantered in to reap £16.5. What does a man do with such a win? The cocktail-shaker became as busy as a bee, and the brass rail bent under the strain.

"But for blowing dull clouds right away I vote Sir Charles Kingsford Smith and his Lady Mary. This eagle-faced, lithe Australian more than lives up to all the stories we foreigners hear about him. He is training for his flight back to Sydney in the Southern Cross—no smoking, and just the softest of drinks through straws.

"At the sports yesterday he easily won a race which depended on his ability to suck through a straw. And speaking of sucking! Another race brought blushes by the mere mention of its name—Regaining your lost Youth.

"Girls chose partners and then clutched babies' bottles overflowing with milk. The males had to suck the milk through the rubber, the winner being he who could consume the most in a given time.

"Lady Mary, after months of rearing her tubby Charles Junior, rested her 'Chilla's' head on her shoulder and gave him his head. He sucked his way to victory by many ounces.

"In my wanderings, every time that I think of Australia's greatest 'unofficial' ambassador of goodwill I will think of his flushed face and bulging middle and that ridiculous race.

"After all, men are just babies!"

MARY MEREWETHER is spending a holiday in the country at present, before the weather breaks into winter. She is dividing her time between visiting Joan White, at Muswellbrook, and relatives at Dubbo.

MRS. HUBERT FAIRFAX spent the weekend at Moss Vale, and would have liked to stay longer. The private screening of "The Red Wagon," however, drew her to the city.

To H is to benefit from the proceeds of the first screening, as it did in London when the Prince of Wales was among the distinguished audience present.

MRS. HARRY OSMOND has gone to Edinburgh to rejoin her husband, who is in his last year's medicine at Edinburgh University. Before her departure many entertainments were given in her honor. The last was a bridge party given by her sister, Mrs. James Lowe, at the Carlton. Mrs. M. J. Graham helped her daughter (Mrs. Lowe), receive the guests.

AMONG those joining the "Cathay" on her cruise around Australia are Dr. and Mrs. Reginald Maffey, of Singleton. Dr. Maffey's son, Dr. Errol Maffey, who, with his young wife, has just returned from cruising to Tasmania, will be his father's representative during his absence.

MRS. A. CUDMORE, of Adelaide, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Stogdale.

THE Silent Majesty of the Everlasting Hills" is perhaps the most outstanding work among the many lovely representations of the Australian countryside which are at present on view at Anthony Hordern's Fine Art Gallery. The pictures, a new exhibition of Mr. Lister Lister's water colors, were much praised by Mr. Ifould in his opening speech on Wednesday.

THE GIRLS' PROGRESSIVE CLUB is vacating its former premises in Denyer House, and will meet in future every Monday night at the Women's Country Club, 399 George St.



MISS MARIAN HILL, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Noel Hill, of "Terlings," Moree. Miss Hill's marriage to Mr. Geoffrey Manches will be celebrated at St. Philip's Church, Church Hill, on the evening of April 3. The reception will be held at the Queen's Club.

—Monte Luke.

COUNTRY girls down for Easter include Jessie Harris, of Goulburn, who is staying at Vaucluse with Marjorie Abbott, and Ellie Nathan, daughter of Dr. A. C. Nathan, who is down from Wagga.

The Moses Muralt, of Wagga, on the other hand, are returning home this week after spending the summer months in a flat at Manly.

BOBBY LARNACH drives her car from her mother's (Mrs. J. E. Larnach) new home at No. 3 Manning Rd., up and down to town, nowadays, instead of speeding around Manly, where the family used to live.

ARDELLE WOOTTON, of Randwick, a niece of "Dick" Wootton, has just announced her engagement to Mr. Lloyd Donnelly, of Gilgandra. Miss Wootton met her future husband while on a holiday trip to the far western town, some little time ago.

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Women at Agricultural Bureau Conferences

The two recent conferences of the Agricultural Bureau of New South Wales proved to be both educationally and socially a pronounced success.

At the North-Western Districts Conference at Binnaway men and women came from all quarters of the north and north-west, travelling by car and train, and remaining till the very end of an extensive programme. Hospitality, as usual, was lavishly extended, delegates being invited to stay at the homes of many of the local residents.

A large number of women attended the majority of the sessions, as well as special women's sessions both being presided over by Mrs. Collins, president of the Binnaway branch of the C.W.A. An address by a local doctor on "Foods—Their Relation to Health," which was extremely useful, and a talk by Mrs. C. L. A. Abbott on travel, were features of the first women's session.

On the second day demonstrations on the scouring and general preparation of wool on the farm for making wool mattresses, rugs, and other useful articles were given by Miss Gay (Wee Waa). A cage-decorating demonstration by Mrs. Griffith (Gunnedah), followed by a talk on poisons and their antidotes by a local chemist, was very useful from all points of view.

It is interesting to see also the keenness displayed by women in the many subjects relating to the farm, and talks on poultry, vegetable growing, flower gardening, and trees are always of keen interest to them.

Interesting Address

At Eugowra, women attended from Parkes, Cowra, Molong, Grenfell, and the local members of the Bureau and Country Women's Association attended in force.

A very interesting address and demonstration at the women's session was given by Mr. S. A. Thornell, Young, on pruning, budding and grafting fruit trees and shrubs. A talk by Mrs. Niven, president of the Eugowra Bureau Women's Club, on the work of the women in this branch of the movement, and an address by Miss Lorna Byrne on "Citizenship" were listened to with keen interest by the women.

A debate between two branches of the Agricultural Bureau, one from Eugowra and one from the Dubbo district, the subject being "That Dictatorship is Preferable to Democracy," was probably one

DON'T... FORGET

The Benevolent Society's kiosk at the Royal Easter Show, run entirely by voluntary workers, will be at 73 Hornbeam St. Mrs. Arthur Rutter is in charge.

Miss Doris Pitten is giving a performance of "London Wall" at the Empire Theatre on April 3. Proceeds are in aid of the Governors' Ball funds for the District Nursing Association.

Under the patronage and in the presence of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Ormeau, the annual meeting of the N.S.W. Bush Nursing Association will be held at Government House on March 28 at 11 a.m. Their Excellencies invite all those who are interested in the association to attend.

Mr. J. Lewis is organising a reunion of supporters of the Benevolent Society, N.S.W., at the society's hall on April 14 at 8 p.m. Tickets are 1/- each, and the proceeds will be devoted to the society's work.

At the inaugural meeting of the Northbridge Branch Committee a new branch of the Royal North Shore Hospital Auxiliary Service League was formed. Mr. E. Poynter and Mrs. Anderson were elected chairwoman and secretary, and Mrs. H. W. Todd as honorary treasurer. The first function of the committee will be a dinner and card evening to be held in the Masonic Hall, Northbridge, on Wednesday the 28th March. This branch has been formed for the purpose of raising funds to supply one of the wards in the new children's section at the hospital with blankets.

Futura Shears Ltd. Staff Club will hold a dance at Mark Foy's Empress rooms on March 24. The total proceeds will be donated to the funds of the Australian British Empire Games team, which will leave Australia on May 26.

The Royal Hospital for Women, Linen Auxiliary, will hold a tea in Lever Brothers' on April 11, commencing at 2 p.m. A charge of 1/- will be made to help the hospital work. Mrs. H. Crawford will gladly accept the names of those desiring to join the party.

The official opening of the swimming pool at Barker College will take place on March 24. Sir Philip Game performing the opening ceremony.

To help defray expense in connection with their twelfth annual dance, the Domremy College Ex-Students' Union will hold a bridge party at the Carlton Hotel on April 14. The annual tennis tournament and "Back to College" Day will be held at the college on April 15.

On March 24 the Y.M.C.A. 20th Anniversary Welfare of Youth campaign will be held in the Sydney Town Hall. Speakers will be the Archbishop of Sydney, Dr. Mowll, and Dr. Fred W. Newell.

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Intimate Jottings

Did You Know That—

Jack Morgan has just cabled his family about receiving a contract for "Magnolia Street".

During the absence of her husband in Adelaide, last Sunday, Mrs. Wallace Pratt, M.Sc. (formerly Enid Edmonds), preached in the Congregational Church, Broken Hill?

Mrs. Arthur Kingston, on holiday in Sydney, is the only person whose enamel-work was chosen at a recent exhibition for the Paris Museum?

Enjoying Terrigal

MRS. A. WHITE, of "Belltrees," Scone, has been staying at Terrigal with her three children, whom she brought to the seaside for the worst of the summer months.

Mrs. White, who was formerly Judy Coombe, looks more like the children's sister than their mother. Mrs. W. H. Mackay has been holidaying at Jervis Bay, but she went to Terrigal to stay with Mrs. White before she returned to her home.

Down from Shanghai

MRS. J. LEGGE, who has just arrived in Sydney, has many happy memories of her home in the French concession at Shanghai, though life lost the beautiful tenor of its way when Japanese bombs started falling into the streets.

Mrs. Legge and her husband, Captain Legge, will be settling in Sydney. At present they are at 44 Macleay St.

Wedding Festivities

MRS. WILLIE ANDERSON will be in Melbourne for the wedding festivities of her nephew, Sam Hordern. Sam's pretty cousins, Irene and Jean, will accompany their mother. Soon after the marriage of Miss June Baillieu and Mr. Hordern, Mrs. Anderson, with her daughters, will leave by the "Oronsay" for England, where her son is still a Varsity student.

Keen Playgoer

MRS. FEATHERSTONE-HAUGH, who was formerly Miss Vic Lyne, daughter of the late Sir William Lyne, is in town staying at "Holyoake," Cremorne, but is shortly returning to her home in Coonamble. Mrs. Featherstonehaugh's mother belonged to the Shaw family of Tasmania, to which George Bernard Shaw is also related.

Mrs. Featherstonehaugh is interested in all the latest plays. She was at the Independent Theatre last Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Wilfred Heritage, who is a visitor from Tulagi, in the Solomon Island group.

Lover of Home

RATHER reluctantly, Miss Annie Cook decided to join her sister, Lady Maitland, and has accompanied her on a journey to Persia. Miss Cook is unlike the majority of people, who love to travel. For her, the comfortable flat in Macquarie St. has more charm than even the land of Omar and Haroun Al Raschid. Although she thoroughly enjoyed her last visit to Europe, she is always glad to turn her face homeward again.

How Elise Scored

WHEN Philip Game took half-a-dozen of his young friends along to the Harbor Bridge pylon on Friday evening, one of the great attractions was the "pashometer." Strangely enough, all the party scored about the same, except Elise Budge, who positively scored above the rest! The scores were: Philip Game 49, David Game 49, Bill Bathurst 48, Wilfrid Wallace 48, Suzanne Stogdale 49, and Elise Budge 75.

Cymrodorien Society

BEING of Welsh parents,

though colonial born, Mrs. P. D. Belcher has always been interested in everything Welsh. She is very proud at present at having been elected president of the Cymrodorien Society. This is the first time a woman has held this position in N.S.W.

To Visit Vienna

DR. AND MRS. GARNETT HALLORAN, with the exception of a determination to visit Vienna, have not made any definite plans about their visit to the Continent, but they intend seeing as many interesting places as possible. While they are away their twin boys will be boarders at "Cranbrook."

News of Yolande Proctor

YOLANDE PROCTOR,

daughter of Dr. Rogers and at present in England continuing her art studies and learning dancing, writes that she is planning a most interesting exhibition there. Yolande introduced modern prints to Sydney, and now she is going to introduce aboriginal designs, and Australian flowers, such as orchids, which haven't been done to death like the waratah and flannel flower, to England.

Yolande is an authority on such Australian designs. She attended anthropology lectures at Sydney University, and is continuing with her studies under Professor Firth in London, where he, too, has gone. Recently, she danced for television.



Convalescing

WHEN Mr. and Mrs.

Philip Pike (formerly Alice Pritchard) were on their honeymoon, some months ago, Philip was taken ill. He got better, however, and, after a short time under treatment, returned to his station home.

A few weeks ago he was again taken ill, and, coming to Sydney, has been operated on by Dr. Sandes. He is making good progress now, and has gone, with his young wife, to Sussex Inlet to convalesce.

Mrs. Lowe had a traveller from Dungog on Saturday, however. Her sister, Mrs. Smith, arrived unexpectedly with a list of necessities—butter dishes, salt cellars, and such—to be bought for Dungog Hospital, of which she is a director. Meg Smith is still staying with her aunt, being "finished" by Miss Janet Stephen in modern languages, and enlarging her knowledge of shooting breakers on the side.

Made New Friends

MR. G. NUREMBURG,

Sir Arthur Cocks' friend, who left this Wednesday for Europe, had no quarrel to find with Sydney except that he had arranged to have his annual meeting here with his friend, Commander Harries, and Commander Harries was in England with his bride (Peggy Street).

At the last party Mr. Nuremburg attended here, at Mrs. S. N. Hope's home in Cremorne, he was initiated into all sorts of youthful forms of passing the time, including fishing apples out of buckets of water with one's mouth. At the party (which was to farewell Ruth Smith, but she, being ill, was not present) were Jack Flynn (a former Rhodes Scholar), Bill Hope, Lyle Lough, and Ted Bight (who run an orchestra for their own amusement), Bill Wiseman, and Joyce Luce.

BERYL BRYANT is going into theatrical management in earnest, and has arranged for Rene Riano to tour the suburbs under her management. The revue to be presented is "Stardust," and a number of Beryl's students, who are well known in social circles, will act as show girls in the production.

John Clugston, who so successfully designed the settings and lighting effects for "Snappy Sydney," is associated with Beryl in the venture, and the frocks are being designed by Jocelyn Poynter, daughter of Lady Poynter.

From Tasmania

MRS. GEORGE EVANS,

who is the daughter of The Speaker of the House of Assembly in Tasmania, came to Sydney with Mrs. E. H. Salenger, and will be Mrs. Salenger's guest at her house on the North Shore until she returns home.

Trio for Java

FOUR of the five daughters of Mr. H. B. Allard are either travelling or preparing for a trip.

Mrs. Lex Traill, with her husband, has just gone to New Zealand, and Dolly, Betty, and Nancy Allard are preparing for a tour of Java and Japan.

Just Announced

NELLIE WALKER, who

announced her engagement, last week, to Justin McArthur, has beautiful titian hair, and all the energy that proverbially goes with it. After leaving "Ascham," she took up economics at the University, while her sister Nancy went in for architecture. After this was finished, she stayed at home for a while until bored with just "loafing," she took a business position.

Her fiance is an old Newingtonian, and very popular.

Seeing Her Friends

INVITATIONS will be out this week, we hear, for the marriage of Nancy Ruthven to Jack Buchanan, for April 26. As luck—or, rather, good management—would have it, this date is not only the birthday of Mrs. Alan Copland, one of Nancy's closest friends, who, since her marriage only visits Sydney for a few months every two years, but Mrs. Copland arrives here after five months in New Zealand, just in time to be present at the wedding.

Mrs. Copland (Eileen Hall) is also very excited about seeing Mrs. Maitland's (Alice Carruthers) new home, and in helping her sister-in-law, Margaret Copland, prepare for her wedding, which will probably take place about September. Barbara Holmes, who has been spending a holiday in New Zealand, dividing her time between visiting Mrs. Copland and hiking down South, will return shortly to her home in Bathurst.



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Outstanding Personalities at the Forthcoming Annual Conference

The twelfth annual conference of the Country Women's Association will be officially opened by Her Excellency Lady Isaacs at David Jones's auditorium on April 3.

Lady Game, who is patron of the association, will be present and will move a vote of thanks to Lady Isaacs.

OUTSTANDING personalities at the Conference will include many women who have worked earnestly and unselfishly to achieve the ideals for which the Association stands.

Mrs. Matt Sawyer, O.B.E., the State President of the C.W.A., will preside. Mrs. Sawyer has been State President

since 1928. She was a foundation member and has been on the executive since its inception. Mrs. Sawyer's home is at "Euloma," Bellungra, where her husband is engaged in pastoral pursuits. Regarded as the most strictly punctual member of the executive, Mrs. Sawyer has been an indefatigable worker in the cause. During her term of office as State President she has visited almost every branch in the State, making increase in membership her main objective.

Mrs. Sawyer puts an immense amount of time into her work. Recently, His Majesty conferred the O.B.E. upon her in recognition of her fine services. This was the first time the Association was thus honoured.

Toured the State
MRS. A. J. STUDY, of "Glencoe," Bogabri, was the immediate predecessor of Mrs. Sawyer, as State President, and is now a vice-president. She is a very able speaker and a tireless worker in the cause.

The "Frances Studley Rest Home" in Gunnedah is called after her as a compliment to her work in the Nomial Group. During her term as State President she toured the State in a baby Austin car, visiting branches everywhere. Her husband is engaged in the pastoral industry.

Mrs. Percy Stacy, another vice-president, represents the Hunter River Group on the executive, and lives at Warroo, Singleton, where her one unmarried son carries on a large dairy farming business. Intensely interested in questions affecting the welfare of mothers and infants, she is chairwoman of the standing committee of the Association for Maternal and Infant Welfare.

Mrs. J. W. D. C. Beveridge, president of the Hume Group, another vice-president of the State, lives at "Billabong," Gundagai. Mrs. Beveridge has been nominated as delegate to the Pan-Pacific Congress by the N.S.W. branch. She is an ardent feminist, and an authority on international matters affecting women. She has given many interesting talks to various branches on the work of the League of Nations. Mrs. Beveridge is the mother of two sons and one daughter.

Miss Mary Yeo, of Yass, represents the Southern Tablelands on the executive. Three years ago she was a delegate to the Pan-Pacific Congress, and was responsible for the establishment of rural breakfast sittings of the Congress, at which questions affecting rural women are given special attention.

Stamp collecting and poultry rearing are two of Miss Yeo's hobbies, and her friends regard her as a veritable encyclopaedia of knowledge on Australian history.

South Coast Group
MRS. MARK MORTON, Nowra, represents the South Coast Group. Miss Morton never fails to keep any engagement made for her in connection with the work of the C.W.A. One of the older members of the Association, she is still full of vigor and enthusiasm, and her bright personality has made her many friends.

Mrs. William Hammond, of "Gawsworth," Harefield, Wagga Wagga, president of the Riverina Group, is also a member of the executive.

An effective platform speaker, she has a wide influence among women. On her various visits to C.W.A. centres, she has given many helpful demonstrations of handicrafts.

Mrs. James See, of Inverell, is a member of the executive and represents the Gwydir Group. A pretty blonde, with a charming complexion, she is one of the young enthusiasts in the movement.

Mrs. Helen Marina (Young) is one of the oldest members of the executive, but still a tireless worker in the cause. No C.W.A. State Conference would be considered complete unless Mrs. Marina were present in her accustomed place.

Mrs. George Mack, of "Weemahah," Trangie, represents the Far West Group. She takes great pleasure in covering the vast districts comprised by her section of the movement and visiting all the branches. In some centres, there is no hall and she has held her meetings under the shade of a friendly tree.

Many other women who are working capably and tirelessly for the good of country women will be present at the Conference, where problems of the greatest importance to the welfare of the women of the State are brought for discussion and solution.



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Even the economic depression which affected every other industry failed to stem the tide of prosperity in the hairdressing trade.

OFFICIALS of the union at the Sydney Trades Hall are being inundated at the present time by applicants who wish to enter the industry.

"Almost every mother who has a good-looking daughter to-day," said an official, "wants to make a hairdresser of her."

While there are only 500 women members of the Hairdressers' Union, large numbers of others are engaged in the industry.

For some years the union was in the happy position of having equal rates of pay for both sexes, but some four years ago the Industrial Commission reduced the wages of girls from £5/10/- to £3/7/- The award wage is now £3/19/- a week.

The result was that numbers of the best girls employed in the high-class establishments refused to work for that wage, and seized the opportunity of opening in business for themselves.

Many of the girls had a regular clientele among the customers they tended, and they started off with almost the certainty of success, and are now employing up to 10 and 12 hands in their own business.

The result has been to develop a new race of smart business women. And they love the work. "Of all the hairdressers I know," said the secretary of the union, Mr. J. F. O'Reilly, "I do not know one who dislikes the profession."

Not only does the artistic nature of the work appeal to women, but they meet interesting people, and they take a woman's pride in helping to beautify.

However, the secretary points out that the idea held by many people that the trade can be learned in a few months is erroneous. Hairdressing is a profession requiring a high degree of skill, and the period of apprenticeship under the award is four years. Reputable employers admit that it requires this period to make an apprentice thoroughly competent.

THE Hairdressers' Union conducts classes at the Technical College for the teaching of waving. The classes are only available to members of the union, and applicants to the college are invariably referred to the union.

Thus it is that often as many as 50 applications a day are made to the union by mothers who wish to place their daughters in the trade.

Many of them belong to the very best class, and they are prepared to do anything short of offering a bribe to get their daughters a chance to learn.

"It is just the work I would love," the girls say, many of them the pick of Sydney so far as smartness and good looks are concerned.

The office of the union in Sydney has many callers from women and girls who have paid large sums to so-called hairdressing colleges for training, and who have found that they have not been taught the trade in the period specified by the colleges. They come to the union to try and recover their fees, and, in a recent case, the union took action against a college which charged a girl £50 for training. The full amount was recovered, and the college was ordered to pay the girl wages during the period in which her time was wasted.

Certain people have set themselves up as instructors in hairdressing, and undertake to teach pupils the trade in from three to six months for fees ranging up to £25. They are careful to see that their written agreements do not bind them to guarantee anything, and pupils find themselves at the end of the term very little advanced in the trade and minus their fees, plus out of pocket expenses for tools of trade and uniforms.

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Abbreviations: K., knit; m., make by picking up thread before next st. and knitting into back of it; p., pur; rep., repeat; sts., stitches; st., st., stocking stitch.

Materials: 4oz. red double knitting sports wool, 3oz. stone colored double knitting sports wool, 1 pair No. 7 needles, 4 No. 7 needles, 10 chromium buttons.

Measurements: Cape, 65in. x 38in. round bottom; neck, 15in.; cap, 19½in. x 7in.; gauntlets, 8in. x 12in. at top; tin, at waist.

Tension: 7 rows to the inch in depth; 4 sts. to 1in.

THE CAPE

Cast on 80 sts. do 2 plain, 2 pur rib for 8 rows, join stone colored wool (continue in stocking stitch throughout).

1st Row: Plain. 2nd Row: Purl. 3rd Row (Plain) k. 2, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1. Knit until only 4 sts. remain on the needle. M. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 1.

4th Row: Purl.

5th Row: Plain, repeat as 3rd Row.

6th Row: Purl.

7th Row: Plain, repeat as 3rd Row.

8th Row: Purl.

9th Row: Join red wool, separate stitches on needle into three sections, having 32 sts. at each end. Mark these points for shoulders. Knit to 31st stitch: m. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1. Knit 47 sts., m. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1. Continue to end of row.

10th Row: Purl.

11th Row: Plain k. 2. Cast off 3 sts. for top of buttonhole. Continue to shoulder point and rep. Increase as in 9th Row, making 1 st. at shoulder point and one on either side.

12th Row: pur, turn, keeping two sts. separate at end of row.

13th Row: Plain, k. 2, make 3 for bottom of buttonhole, continue to shoulder points, increasing as before.

14th, 15th and 16th Rows: Continue in st. st., increasing at shoulder points on plain rows.

17th Row: Join stone color wool, st. st. without increasing for 8 rows, join red. Rep. as from 9th to 16th row, join stone st. at 8 rows, join red, rep. as 9th to 13th row, then st. st. for 4 rows, cast off. Press firmly with damp cloth and sew on buttons.



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Join stone st. st. for 4ins. (28 rows). Cast off loosely.

TO MAKE UP

Press with damp cloth, divide top of cap into four and sew one button firmly in centre to hold it together.

GAUNTLETS

Using red wool, cast on 40 sts., beginning with plain row st. st. 8 rows, leaving 6 sts. on needle, join stone color st. st. for 8 rows, st. st. the remaining

red sts. for 6 rows (this continues red border).

15th Row (red sts.): K. 2, cast-off 3, k. 1, continue in stone color to end of row.

16th Row: Purl, casting on 3 sts. where they were cast off.

17th Row: Join red st. st. for 8 rows, increasing 3 sts. at end of each plain row, join stone, rep. from st. st. continuing to increase 3 sts. at end of each plain row. Join red st. st. 8 rows, increasing as before. Join stone, leaving 6 sts. on needle as before, st. st. for 1 row.

41st Row: With red sts. k. 1, cast-off 3 and k. 2.

42nd Row: Finishing buttonhole as before, st. st. for 5 rows, join red, st. st. for 5 rows. Cast off loosely. Sew up red border to stone colored stripe. Rep. for other cuff.

TO MAKE UP

Press well with damp cloth, tie all ends and thread through, sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes.

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1. A dated entry coupon will be published weekly in The Australian Women's Weekly during the progress of the competition and each entry must be accompanied by four coupons of successive dates.

2. The name and full address of competitor and the number of the section in which the article is to be judged must be printed in ink on card and sewn firmly to the garment.

3. Each entry must be entirely the work of the competitor, but any number of entries may be sent in one competition. Each entry must comply with condition 4.

4. Entries must be handed in on the day of the head office of The Australian Women's Weekly in the competitor's State, namely—

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Entries close on June 15.

5. Inadequately stamped entries will not be accepted. If an exhibit is to be returned by post, the competitor must send sufficient postage to cover costs.

6. An official receipt for each exhibit will be given to the competitor, and must be produced when application is made for the return of the garment at the close of the competition.

7. Every care will be taken of the entries, but The Australian Women's Weekly cannot accept any responsibility for goods lost or stolen in transit. Entries are advised to send parcels either by rail or by registered post.

8. Entries may be pressed, but must not be washed or cleaned.

9. Judging will be done by experts, and the results will be announced as soon as possible after the closing of the competition. The judges' decisions will be absolutely final.

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SECTION 2.

Lady's Jumper or Cardigan

1st Prize	£15	10 Prizes of ..	10/-
2nd Prize	£7.50	10 Prizes of ..	5/-

Total of 20 Prizes valued at £60.

This Section will be open only in those who have not previously won a prize in any knitting competition. Any design may be used, and entrants' attention is directed to the book published by The Australian Women's Weekly containing full directions, the latest designs from overseas.

SECTION 3.

Man's Cardigan or Pull-over

1st Prize	£20	3rd Prize	£2/10/-
2nd Prize	£7.50	10 Prizes of ..	10/-

Total of 12 Prizes valued at £35.

Separate committees, comprising well-known people, will judge State entries as a whole in the respective States, selecting from the total entry in each section a group of garments, all of which they consider are possible prize winners.

For the final judging the garments thus selected by the respective State committees will be judged as a whole by a committee comprising not less than three well-known people, representative of all States.

Have you started your entry yet? Remember you can enter in as many sections as you please, so give yourself plenty of time to knit more than one garment.

SECTION 4.

Pull-over or Cardigan for Children Between 8 and 14 Years of Age

1st Prize	£5	10 Prizes of ..	2/-
2nd Prize	£2.50	10 Prizes of ..	1/-

Total of 18 Prizes valued at £30.

These garments will be designed mainly for school wear, and entrants can evolve attractive garments by using school colors, badges, etc.

SECTION 5.

Best Outlay of 5/-

1st Prize	£5	10 Prizes of ..	5/-
2nd Prize	£2.50	10 Prizes of ..	2.50/-

Total of 20 Prizes valued at £25.

Best Outlay of approximately 5/- The Judges will award the prizes in this Section to the garment or garments which, made from the simplest of materials, represent in their finished form the best value for the money. Any garment or garments will be eligible for entry in this Section. Sets of berets and berettes, ladies' lingerie, men's socks and ties, hosiery-tights or dressing jackets; an endless variety of garments can be evolved by the enterprising knitter, for 5/- The market value of the garments, together with the standard of the knitting, will be the guiding factor in judging this Section.

SECTION 7.

Lady's Singlet

1st Prize	£15	10 Prizes of ..	5/-
2nd Prize	£7.50	10 Prizes of ..	2.50/-

Total of 20 Prizes valued at £50.

Each garment must comprise a color scheme of four colors, the colors being white, black, blue and marl wool will not be considered as constituting a color scheme.

Artistry of design will be regarded as a special feature in this Section. Fine lace stiches, touches of hand embroidery, or applique can be used.

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WX 400

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WX 404

WX 405

WX402. — Tweed frock with raglan sleeves, high-waisted effect and seam down centre front and back skirts. Material required, three and three-quarters yards 36-inch or two yards 54-inch, and three-eighths yard 36-inch contrasting. To fit size 36-inch bust. Width at hem, one and five-eighths yards. Other sizes, 32, 34, 36, and 40-inch bust. **PAPER PATTERN, 1/L.**

WX401. — Frock and hip length coat of woollen material suitable for medium or large figures. Material required, four and a half yards of 36-inch, or three yards of 54-inch, and half a yard of 3-inch pleated trilling for frock. The coat requires one and one-half yards of 36-inch or two and one-eighth yards of 54-inch. To fit size 36-inch bust. Width at hem of frock, two and one-eighth yards. Size 44-inch bust requires four and three-quarters yards of 36-inch or three and one-quarter yards of 54-inch, and half a yard of 3-inch pleated trimmings. The coat requires one and one-quarter yards of 36-inch or two and three-eighths yards of 54-inch. Width at hem of frock, two and one-quarter yards. Other sizes, 32, 34, 36, 40, 42, 44, and 46-inch bust. **PAPER PATTERN, 1/L.**

WX403. — Frock with side front hip pieces and fur fabric collar and cuffs. Material required, three and five-eighths yards 36-inch or three yards 54-inch, and three-eighths yard 36-inch for fur and three-eighths yard 36-inch lining for collar. To fit size 36-inch bust. Width at hem, two yards. Other sizes, 32, 34, 36, and 40-inch bust. **PAPER PATTERN, 1/L.**

WX404. — Frock of woollen fabric with Jumper and skirt effect. Material required, four and a quarter yards 36-inch, and five-eighths contrasting 36-inch, or two and three-eighths yards 54-inch and three-eighths 36-inch contrasting. To fit size 36-inch bust. Width at hem two yards. Other sizes, 32, 34, 36, and 40-inch. **PAPER PATTERN, 1/L.**

WX405. — Smart tweed suit consisting of waist, skirt and waistcoat. Material required, four and three-eighths yards of 36-inch, or three and five-eighths yards of 54-inch. Waistcoat requires five-eighths yard of 46-inch material or one and one-eighth of 36-inch material. To fit size 36-inch bust. Width at hem, two yards. Other sizes, 32, 34, 36 and 40-inch bust. **PAPER PATTERN, 1/L.**

WX406. — Girl's funnel frock with pleats in skirt. Material required, two and a half yards 36-inch and three-eighths yard for collar and cuffs. To fit size 8-10 years. **PAPER PATTERN, 9/1d.**

WX 407

WX 408

WX406. — Girl's wool-de-chine frock with pleats in skirt and new sleeves. Material required, three and a half yards 36-inch or two and one-quarter yards 54-inch, and five-eighths yard 36-inch for collar and cuffs. To fit size 12-14 years. Other sizes, 9-10, 10-12, and 14-16 years. Sizes, 8-10 and 10-12. **PAPER PATTERN, 9/1d.**

WX407. — Girl's wool-de-chine frock with pleats in skirt and new sleeves. Material required, three and a half yards 36-inch or two and one-quarter yards 54-inch, and five-eighths yard 36-inch for collar and cuffs. To fit size 12-14 years. Other sizes, 9-10, 10-12, and 14-16 years. Sizes, 8-10 and 10-12. **PAPER PATTERN, 9/1d.**

WX408. — Small girl's tweed coat with round collar. Material required, two and three-eighths yards 36-inch. To fit size 8-10 years. Other sizes, 5-6, 4-6, and 8-10 years. **PAPER PATTERN, 9/1d.**

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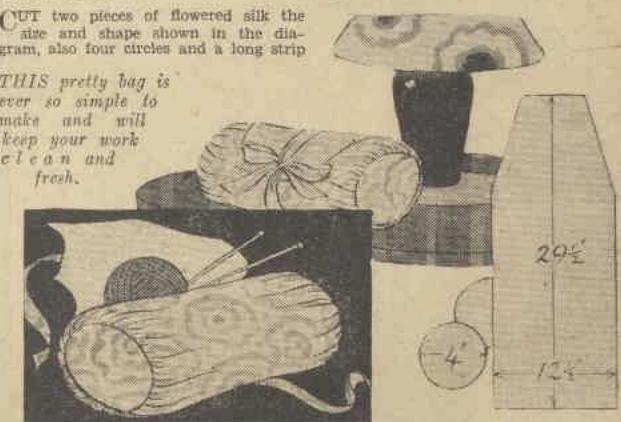
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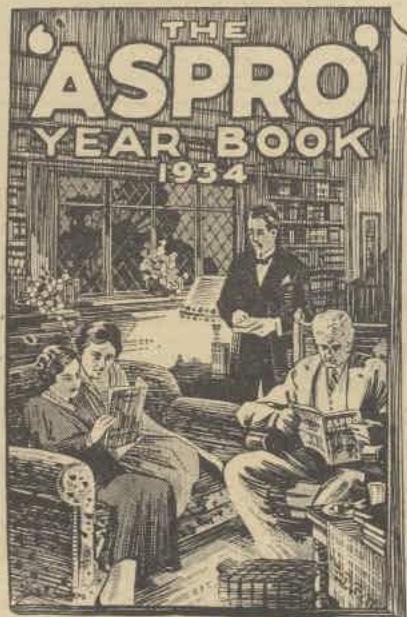
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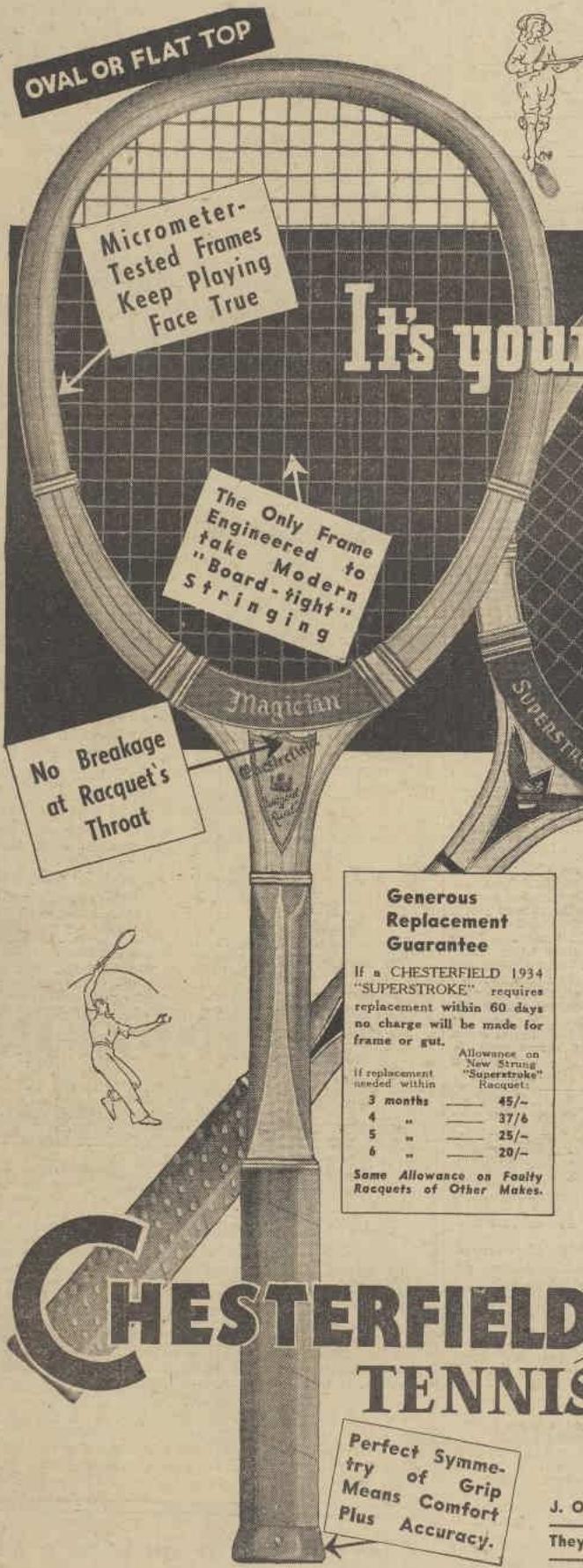
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TAIL-WAGGER CHATS

PREPARING For a SHOW

By "PHILOKUON"

IT would be superfluous to offer advice to old hands about the preparation of their dogs for shows, but so many new people are coming in all the time that I am tempted to say a few words upon the subject.

The manner in which the dogs are put down has a considerable influence upon their success or otherwise, and intending exhibitors from now onwards should be getting busy. In most breeds hard condition counts materially. This can only be achieved by giving plenty of exercise, preferably on hard ground, which develops the muscles and tightens up the feet. Fatness is a serious handicap.

Make the dogs as smart as possible by strenuous daily grooming, first brushing thoroughly, and then using a hair glove. A final rub down with a clean towel puts a polish on those coats that need it. Long-haired dogs should be combed with much care so that the coat may not be raked out or broken.

There have been complaints this summer about coats losing their glossiness. Perhaps the weather may have had something to do with it. A little linseed meal or oil in the food once a day for a few weeks before a show would probably act as a corrective, but that will not take the place of grooming. Two or three days before the show most breeds will be improved by a bath, but those with wire coats should be dry-cleaned with powdered chalk. Washing softens the coat. Be sure that the dogs are free from worms, for these pests make it difficult to bring them to their best.

Then there is the question of deportment, that is a stumbling block for most beginners. The dog that conducts himself well in the ring, so that his points may be displayed to the utmost perfection, has at least a fifty per cent. better chance of winning than one that has no manners.

I cannot emphasise too strongly the importance of this matter, yet every judge has reason to deplore the slackness of some exhibitors in this respect, and they are usually the first to grouse about unfairness and partiality.

Every dog should be trained at home before he goes to a show, being taught to go on the lead without pulling, and to stand at attention in a way that will accentuate his characteristics. Unless this is done, disappointment is inevitable, and it is folly to put the blame on the judges when the fault lies at home. Experienced men and women would be ashamed to show a dog that had not been taught how to behave himself.

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By MILDRED MUSCIO

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IT is more than 15 years since the war ended, 19 since the Anzacs landed at Gallipoli, and whatever memorial of the tragic and heroic doings of that time we intend should be completed quickly, for even now the years have robbed us of the spontaneity which should have been part of our commemoration.

This memorial is not to glorify war. It is a tribute of love and appreciation to men who stood up to that monster, and whose patriotism and sacrifice remain as symbols of great value to us. We write our history here, and very significant is our spiritual reaction to this monument. When in the future we beautify our city, may it not again be in order to commemorate great losses of our youth in war?

May happier occasions induce us to plan beauty and remembrance! But here we have tragic history written, something real and deep, something which has set its mark on us all, even on those who have grown up since that dark time.

If 150,000 contributions of 2/- are given the memorial will be finished. To give quickly is to make the giving more valuable, and the money is asked for by Anzac Day, April 25, next. Women helped greatly in the early collections for the Soldiers' Memorial for women who have little money are nevertheless quick and generous givers when their hearts are touched.

In this granite and marble, in these symbolic figures, we give a long-lasting form to the courage, the spiritual achievement, the heroism, which Australia begot and war sought to extin-



IS IT any wonder that Australian-made tennis racquets are so good when we have girls such as this assisting in their manufacture? English firms see a menace to their trade in the Australian-made racquets, according to recent cables.

Should Wives Have Salaries?

Here is a problem in which every woman is interested. Some wives, of course, get paid, but most of them do not. Should there be an award for wives, and if so, how much should it be?

MRS. ALBERT LITTLEJOHN, director of the 2UW-The Australian Women's Weekly radio sessions, well-known Sydney personality,

has very definite views on the question.

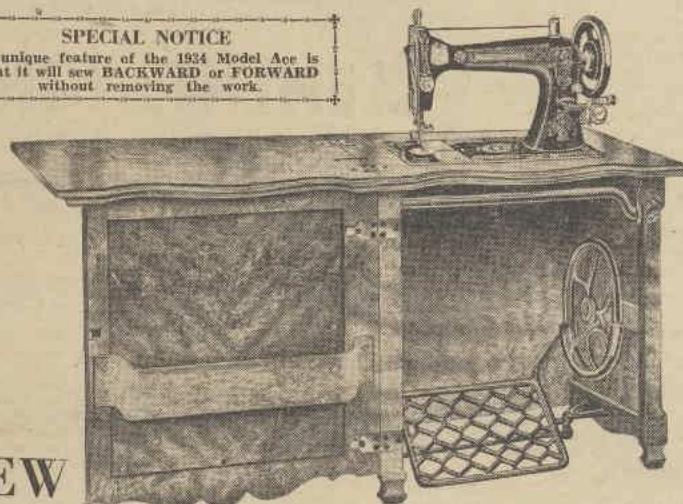
She feels that wives should be paid, and that, until they are, women will not really be emancipated.

On the other hand, Mr. C. N. Baezert, author, poet, late editor of "Triad," a confirmed woman hater, is of the opinion that wives should not be paid. Moreover, he rather feels that they are getting too much of a good time as it is.

So frequently have Mrs. Littlejohn and Mr. Baezert argued this point at 2UW, that at last it has been decided to let them have it out over the air, and listeners are asked to judge who is right.

On Tuesday, March 27, therefore, at 2.40, these two verbal champions will cross words over the microphone. And there will be no quarter. As they both feel very keenly on the subject, it is expected to be a pretty hot debate. Send the children to play in the garden while you listen. Neither husband nor wife, nor unmarried men or girls, can afford to miss this argument. Judgment should be posted to 2UW or The Australian Women's Weekly.

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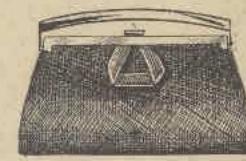
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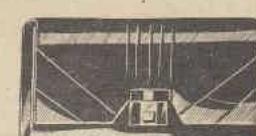
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I FEEL sure readers will enjoy the testimony of one who has faithfully carried out her maternal privileges and duties and has been amply rewarded.

This mother writes to me as follows: "Most of the people I know were very amused when I began to go to the antenatal centre and said it was all nonsense; but I followed Truby King instructions before baby was born and had a very good confinement."

The sister at the maternity hospital said she wished every mother could come in as I did, particularly with a first baby. I was there only about two hours before my baby arrived, and was as fit as a fiddle afterwards.

"I went out right until the day before baby's birth, did my own housework, and never felt the least bit ill. I have never worn brassieres or corsets in my life and I didn't need any support at all, even in the later months. My doctor said that all the walking I had done had been a great help to me. It was a natural birth without any trouble."

"Baby is as good, and has been brought up by your system since birth. He was big, born, and at a year weighed 23lb. 10oz. He has never been any trouble. He enjoys all his food and takes each new food willingly. He has always slept in his own room, right away from us. He sleeps well at night, and I have never

been up one night with him, even when he was teething. I have to watch for his teeth coming else I would not know he had cut any."

"One friend, very dubious about mothercraft methods, went so far as to tell me I would never rear baby unless I gave him a dummy. Needless to say, he has never seen one, let alone had one, and he has never needed it. Sister says he has a beautifully-shaped mouth; his teeth are strong and white and well spaced. He has a piece of apple after each meal and thoroughly enjoys it. He has only three meals a day now, as he was 13 months old yesterday."

* * *

TO many mothers this very human document will sound like a counsel of perfection. Would that more mothers would realise that the above history is merely the natural result of right living and right thinking—there is no mystery about it at all.

Those who wish to have the same expert advice as the writer of the above letter obtained for herself should write to the Sister in Charge of the Australian Mothercraft Society, 233 Elizabeth St., Sydney, enclosing a 2d. stamp for reply. The society exists "to help the mothers and save the babies," and all advice is very willingly given free of charge.



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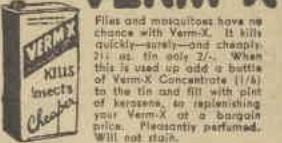
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By
Evelyn

THE BODY BEAUTIFUL

YOUR HAIR...at its Attractive Best

SOME practical Advice on Thinning—and the Use of Curling Irons!

INCE smart hats seem to be made for small-size heads in this era of waves and curls, many who used to count their "crown of glory" one of their greatest beauty assets, look upon it these days as a bother and a worry. The small hats demand well-groomed hair, and waves and curls must simply be acquired by the straight-haired type.

IT is necessary, therefore, for fashion's sake, to have the hair thinned out rather regularly, if it is specially thick.

Some hairdressers make an excellent job of this thinning process—some do not seem to know how to do it cleverly.

The hair should be thinned out all over the head. When hair is worn long it may be cut out in patches that come under the knot.

But this won't do with short hair. The patches show, of course. And even with

long hair this patch-thinning idea isn't so good, for, when the hair begins to grow, it is quite likely to bristle out through the longer hair and give that flyaway appearance that is always to be avoided if possible.

The best way is to take the hair in strands all over the head and clip it off, from the ends down to the scalp, on every strand. A surprising amount of hair can be cut in this way. It is difficult to do this for your own hair, but it isn't an expensive process to have done, and it's well worth while.

Such thinning is only needed every

couple of months to keep the hair at the right thickness.

No wad a day,
brushing the hair is neglected by many women. Many never brush the hair, and still have shining, beautiful coiffures. Of course, they wash the hair frequently, and so keep it free from dust. Brushing, however, is always a good way to make the hair look well.

Care With Curling Irons

ONE of our readers asks for some advice about using a curling iron.



NETTING THE WAVES! This petite blonde before the mirror shows you how to place a net cap over the hair at night to keep your waves in place. If you choose a fine net in a color that matches your hair, it will hardly show.

She has singed her hair and is afraid now to use an iron.

It takes a long time for hair to grow, and we are never more conscious of that fact than when we singe it. Months sometimes pass before the singed ends grow out to the proper length. The only thing to do while they are growing is to arrange the hair as much as possible to cover them.

The hair needn't be singed, however, when you use a hot iron for curling. The work must be done carefully. A moment of carelessness, and the good results of months of care will go.

Always test the iron before using it. Use a piece of tissue-paper. If the paper browns when you close the iron over it, the iron is too hot. Yet you must have it hot, so test it until it is hot enough not to brown the paper.

If you use an iron heated in a flame the iron must be carefully heated so that it doesn't get sooty. Over gas, this

means the iron must be held above the top of the flames. If it is put down on the flame it almost always becomes smoky and sooty. And then, of course, it must be carefully wiped off with a bit of cloth to remove every bit of soot. This soot blackens and dirties the hair and makes it look lustreless and dull.

A good way to go about curling the hair is to divide it into the proper strands and warm each strand by rubbing the iron over it before beginning to curl. The hair is then ready to curl. Then wind it about the iron—but begin by winding it under, rather than over, the rod. This gives a more natural curl.

Don't comb the hair out vigorously right away, as this makes it fuzzy, and also makes the curl come out more quickly. Let the curl's "set" a little while before combing them out.

Nothing but practice will make you expert at this work of curling your hair.



PATIENT: Doctor, is it true that noise can cause us to become sick?

IT can't cause us to become sick, but it can certainly worry us exceedingly when we are sick or even feeling tempestuously.

As long ago as two hundred years the problem of noise was discussed, and at that time a London Church started an appeal to prevent horses and carriages driving past during Church hours.

Intermittent noises are the worst; we can all grow accustomed to regularity; people work in iron foundries to the accompaniment of a terrific and continuous din without suffering inconvenience, but it only needs a riveter to start near an office to upset all hands.

It can be easily treated. There are excellent shampoos available which, combined with suitable ointments, result in the condition clearing up, though it is very liable to come back again.

PATIENT: Is dandruff caused by excessive dryness of the scalp, doctor?

THIS is an idea commonly held, and one, moreover, spread by barbers. Actually the opposite is the case. Dandruff is caused by excessive greasiness of the scalp, combined with infection by germs. The scales are masses of bacteria and debris from the scalp packed together with dried secretion of the sebaceous glands. Sometimes large red areas of inflammation appear in the scalp and are very unsightly; the inflammation may spread down the face and chest.

It can be easily treated. There are excellent shampoos available which, combined with suitable ointments, result in the condition clearing up, though it is very liable to come back again.

One point worth remembering is that certain strong soaps sometimes fight a severe eczema which is a worse affliction than the dandruff.

EXERCISE FOR BEAUTY



STAND straight with the heels together, lift your weight on to your toes, now bend the knees straight out in front, keeping the back erect and chin well lifted. Return to original position and repeat twenty times. Deep breathing during this or any exercise is most beneficial to the general toning up of the system.

Suzanne Karren, of Fox.

COSMETICS Add to Nation's WEALTH...

ACCORDING to medical opinion, the overheated homes in U.S.A. produce a hardening effect upon the skin and consequently the application of paint and powder is necessary in order to prevent the appearance of wrinkles and lines on the complexion.

But however that may be, most American women do not consider themselves "dressed" unless they have on their full "war-paint," and thus the cosmetic industry offers in U.S.A., as nowhere else, a most lucrative source of taxation.

Every schoolgirl takes powder and rouge-box with her into the class; every business girl and woman carries her cosmetics with her; and even in the smallest country townships one sees in the window of the drug store, displayed in the most prominent place, this lure to the vanity of woman.

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"ROAST duck!" Over

Sir Ronald's face swept a confusion of emotions. Regret at doing something of which his respected wife would disapprove, satisfaction at scoring off her, downright honest greed, and a boyish love of mischief.

"Roast duck! Well, that would do us all right, wouldn't it, Eddie, my boy?"

"Quite all right, pater," said Eddie solemnly. He had not yet dared to look at Phoebe, who now departed on the quest of food.

"Looks a nice girl," said Sir Ronald. "And she's certainly very pretty. Funny the sort of jobs ladies take up nowadays."

More quickly than anybody would have believed possible, the roast duck was brought. It was accompanied by orange salad, golden and green, by tiny new potatoes bathed deliciously in butter. It was followed by a creme de menthe jelly green as an emerald; by creme cheese and home-made biscuits. The contents of the flask which the master of "Holdins' Court" always took with him were all that was needed to make the meal perfect.

THIS Woman BUSINESS

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Sir Ronald, awed. "Then, my dear, I can tell you something. Some lucky young fellow is going to have a very excellent wife!"

Eddie watched his father with fascinated eyes. Not even in the tuckshop at Frensham's had he seen such a fine appreciation of the good things of this world. When he had finished, Sir Ronald laid down his napkin.

"By Jove!" he said reverently. "By Jove!"

"Will you have a cigar?" asked Phoebe at his elbow.

The cigars were his favorite brand. But he hesitated before he took one.

"You'll be charging a good deal for them. I expect, young lady?" he asked.

"Oh, no! They're included in the price of the lunch."

"Included! Then all I can say is, you'll land in the workhouse!"

"Oh, I hope not!" dimpled Phoebe. "Of course, this is a very speculative venture."

"Well, I congratulate you on having obtained a very important factor for success, and that is a good cook."

"But that's me!" laughed Phoebe ungrammatically.

"Is it? By Jove, is it really?" said

without a secretary. All her acquaintances shied from the job. And if she didn't find a secretary soon, she didn't know what would happen.

Lady Lathom sighed. She wasn't in the least in the mood for agricultural shows. Usually she could poke pigs' backs with the best of them. She could distinguish between a Buff Orpington and a Wyandotte. She had even been known to win a prize for guessing the weight of a young bullock. But not to-day would these things have been possible to her.

The car came to a standstill. The Lathom family made its way through swarms of perspiring bucolic humanity, and after stifling in the flower tent, eventually found themselves surveying with an apathetic eye the young calves. It was just here that Sir Ronald, whom his wife had mislaid among the rabbits, rejoined her, with a pretty girl at his side.

"I wonder if Ronnie will ever be too old for pretty girls," thought Lady Lathom.

"M-

Y dear," said her husband. "I want to introduce a most sporting young lady to you. This is Miss Phoebe Macpherson, who is running a tea-house, and a very excellent tea-house, too."

His wife looked kindly at Phoebe. Certainly she was most devastatingly pretty. Lady Lathom was rather nice, really, and too wise and too old not to appreciate a younger woman's good looks. Also, she told herself that this girl, in spite of the tea-house, was obviously "all right."

"How do you do, my dear?" she said. "Miss Macpherson tells me she's very interested in the Aid to Aircraft Society," said Sir Ronald.

Lady Lathom's eyes brightened.

"Are you really?" she asked breathlessly.

"I used to work for it quite a lot when I lived in London," said Phoebe.

"I suppose you haven't time to go on with the good work now?" inquired Lady Lathom anxiously.

"I should have after September, of course," said Phoebe. "The tea-house will be closing down for the season."

A look of almost incredulous joy passed over her hearer's face.

"My dear," she said, "don't let me lose sight of you, will you? As soon as I have finished poking pigs and pinching cabbages, I'll meet you in the tent. I should so much enjoy a little talk with you."

It was a fortnight later. Eddie went sorrowfully into the garden to eat worms. Whether he actually did so is not recorded, but he was certainly in the mood. Which was queer, for Phoebe was now a frequent visitor at the Court. Not only was she the newly-appointed secretary of the A.A.S., but she was distinctly a friend of the family.

Of the family! There was the rub! How often lately had Eddie lain awake at nights, pondering the best method of amatory approach!

"I know I'm rather young," he was going to say, "but if you'll only get

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engaged to me. I'll leave out Cambridge altogether, and go and work in an office. You're the Only Woman in the World for me. Until I saw you, I never so much as looked at a girl." Which, come to think of it, was quite true.

Or he would approach it in a more facetious way. "Darling," he'd say, "what about Tea for Two, for ever and ever?" But perhaps that was a little too light-hearted. Instead he would write: "Dear ladye of my dreams." With an E to the end of "ladye." Oh, hang it all, what was the use of talking about it now?

Eddie went down towards the pond and chucked a stone viciously at the boat. One may judge how deep his agitation when one mentions that he missed the boat and got the swan instead. The swan wasn't pleased. It ruffled its feathers and sailed away indignantly. Eddie pursued the gloomy tenor of his thoughts.

Never once since Phoebe had come to the Court had he spoken to her alone. It wasn't that she was not perfectly nice to him when they met, but they never met except in a crowd. And, as for Tony, whom Eddie dimly suspected of having a girl of his own tucked away somewhere—Tony wouldn't leave her alone! Poor Phoebe must be perfectly fed-up with the sight of him!

Eddie threw another stone at the boat, missed it again, and leaped off towards the rose-garden. And there, as he turned the corner of the yew hedge, he stopped transfixed. Among the roses a pretty scene was enacting itself, very much indeed, as Eddie had imagined it, but instead of himself as star performer, his place had been taken by that odious elder brother. It was evident, too, that as far from Phoebe being fed-up with him, she was finding him really rather exceptionally attractive.

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Herr MORNINGBOOK says: No name is used in brewing my vinegar. I call it: Holbrooks' Pure Malt Vinegar. ***

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BESIDES being pleasing to the palate, there are dietary reasons why tart and spicy fruits are used with meats and rich foods: The acids break the fats into smaller particles, making digestion easier. Then, again, if stewed with meat, the acid tends to soften the connective tissue of tough cuts, and the spice and flavor increase the flow of gastric juice. The mineral salts and cellulose make an ideal balance for the protein properties of the meat.

These fruit combinations afford interest to the housewife in her culinary adventures, while there is nothing like surprise and novelty to whet the appetites of the family.

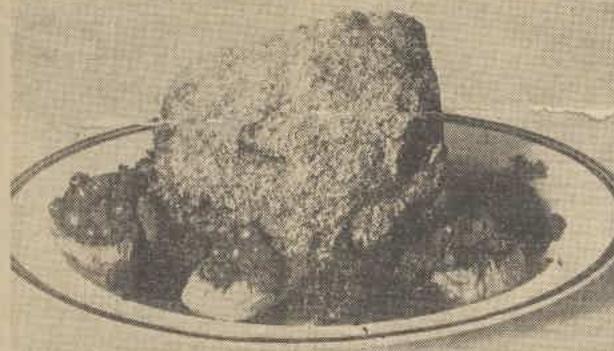
Meat Loaf With Bananas

Four bananas, 1 lb. minced beef, 1 egg, 1 onion, 1 cup soft breadcrumbs, 1 cup finely-chopped or minced salt pork.

Mix the meat, well-beaten egg, grated onion, salt pork, breadcrumbs, and pepper together. Press into a tin or small roasting dish, and bake in a hot oven. When nearly cooked, peel the bananas cut in two lengthwise, place about the meat, and continue baking until they are lightly browned. Sprinkle with salt and pepper, and use as a garnish when serving the meat-loaf.

Lamb Chops and Pineapple

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Beef Tongue With Raisins

One pickled tongue, 1 lemon, 6 peppercorns, a bay leaf, 4 cloves, 1 onion, 1 chili pepper, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup seedless raisins.

Soak the tongue in cold water overnight. Next day place in fresh cold water with the bay leaf, half a lemon thinly sliced, cloves, onion, and peppercorns. Simmer until tender. Remove from the liquor. Skin, trim neatly, and

Have the ribs boned and rolled. Grill and season to taste. Drain the juice from the pineapple while the chops are grilling, wipe them dry and brush them with butter; saute or grill to a tempting shade of brown. Lift them on to a hot plate and arrange a chop on top of each which has been sprinkled with salt, pepper, and paprika. Garnish the dish with parsley and decorate each chop with a piece of red pepper cut in fancy shape.

Cotelettes of Veal

Platter with the broad blade of a knife veal fillets, trim into neat pieces, allowing one to each person. Make a seasoning of 1 heaped tablespoon of grated Parmesan cheese, finely-chopped fat bacon, and parsley, mixed together with salt and pepper to taste. Spread this over the cutlets and soak them for 1 hour in well-beaten egg. Lift out, cover well with breadcrumbs, and fry.

Orange Sauce

One small onion, 1 lemon, 1 orange, 1 carrot, 1 parsnip, whole pepper, blade mace, 1 tablespoon flour, 2 cups brown stock or water, 1 stick celery, 1 tablespoon good dripping or bacon fat.

Melt the fat or dripping in a saucepan, add the finely-chopped onion, and cook until brown. Add the other vegetables which have been prepared and cut up roughly and fry all together lightly. Then add a small piece of lemon rind and orange rind, mace, whole pepper and flour. Mix in well. Lastly add the stock. Stir until it boils; return the lid to the saucepan and simmer for 1 to 2 hours. Strain. Rub the vegetables through a sieve, then add the juice of a small orange, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, and shreds of orange peel. Re-heat but do not boil.

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DUMPLINGS IN QUINCE SAUCE

Now that quinces are in, try these dumplings. Make a thick quince sauce, and half a muffin pan with it. Make a batter of 1 cupful of flour, 1 teaspoonful of baking powder, 1½-teaspoonful of salt, 1 tablespoonful of butter, rub thoroughly into the dry ingredients. Add enough milk to make a soft dough, and drop two large tablespoonfuls of it on top of each pan of sauce. Cook in a hot oven about 20 minutes. Serve with lemon sauce.

First Prize of £1 to M. Fullerton, Dalma, Rockhampton, Q.

HAM AND APPLE ROAST

Take about 1½ lb. sliced ham (not too thin), cooking apples, 2 firm onions, 2 cups browned breadcrumbs, 2 onions, 1 carrot, 1 parsnip, a little sage or herbs, 2 eggs, 1 cup grated cheese.

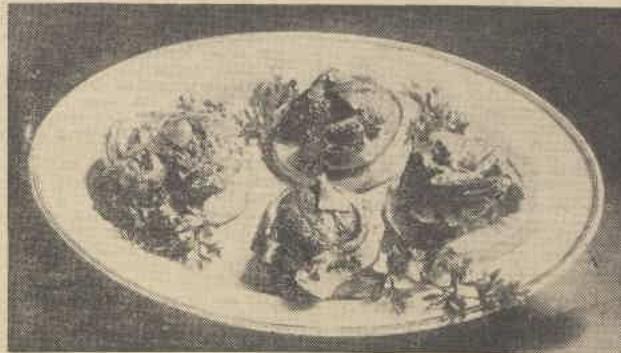
Method: Arrange a layer of sliced ham in a shallow dish, then a layer of cooking apples. Sprinkle with the browned breadcrumbs, herbs, onions, tomatoes, carrots and parsnip. Cover with a layer of sliced apples. Continue the layers until the dish is three-parts full. Bake the ham and apples in the oven for an hour. Beat the eggs with the grated cheese, spread over the top, and return to oven till the cheese is melted and the eggs set. Serve with creamed potatoes and beans.

Consolation Prize of 2/6 to Miss E. Scott, care Mrs. J. D. Scott, Morton St., East Moreton.

HOST HOLBROOK says: I have sliced olives ready for sandwiches. Have you ever tried an olive sandwich? ***

By MARGARET SHEPHERD

Instructor to Leading Hospitals.



LAMB CHOPS and pineapple, decorated with red peppers cut in fancy shapes, is a dish fit for a king.

set aside while the sauce is made as follows:

Boil the liquor in which the tongue has been cooked until reduced to 3 cups. Melt the butter in a saucepan, add the flour, mix well, then add the strained liquor a little at a time and stirring constantly until it boils. Simmer 5 minutes. Add the juice of half a lemon and the raisins. Return the tongue to the sauce. Re-heat. Remove tongue to a hot dish. Serve sauce separately.

Mock Duck With Apricots

Two pork tenderloins, 1 lb. minced veal, 1 cup breadcrumbs, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon salt, pepper, marjoram, grating of onion, strips of fat salt pork, 1 small tin apricots.

Select two large pieces of tenderloin, have them split and opened, then flattened with a mallet. Make a seasoning of breadcrumbs, salt, pepper, marjoram, onion, and finely-minced veal. Place the filling between the two tenderloins and sew them together. Arrange strips of salt pork on top of the meat and place in the oven to bake, searing at first, then lowering the heat. Drain the apricots. Dip each piece in flour, then saute in the baking dish, turning carefully. Arrange the apricots around the dish of meat.

Sausage Cakes on Apple Rounds

One and a half pounds good sausagemeat, salt, pepper, large red-skinned apples, a grating of onion (if liked).

Add salt, pepper, and the onion to the sausage-meat, and form into small cakes. Cook them well. Cut your tart apples in slices, crosswise, and place in the hot fat from the sausage-cakes. Sprinkle them lightly with sugar, and fry to a nut brown. Serve on a hot plate (a sausage-cake on each apple slice), and garnish with parsley and toast points.

Lamb Roll and Sauce

Lamb roll (about 3 lb.), 1 carrot, 1 onion, 2 tablespoons made mustard, 1 lb. peas, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 dessertspoon finely-chopped mint, flour, salt, and pepper.

Wipe the meat with a damp cloth. Tear the skin away from the meat, taking care not to cut away the fat. Spread the inside of the meat with some of the made mustard to which has been added 1 dessertspoon butter and mint. Scrape the carrot and cut into eighths, and simmer 10 minutes in boiling salted water. Peel and slice the onion and fry in the remainder of the butter. When cooked, spread over the inside of

the meat, and add the carrots. Roll up the meat, and skewer or tie. Spread the outside with the mustard and cover with dry breadcrumbs, pressing them in firmly to enable them to adhere. Stand in a baking-dish and baste with boiling fat. Return to a hot oven and bake until lightly browned on the outside. Reduce the heat and cook slowly for 1½ hours. Add a little hot water after the first 10 minutes in the oven and baste occasionally. Serve on a hot dish, surrounded with peas which have been cooked for 10 minutes in boiling salted water, drained, and then allowed to simmer very gently in a saucepan with sufficient butter to keep them moist, adding sugar, salt, and a sprig of mint.

Make the sauce by heating together 1 cup marmalade, 2 tablespoons white vinegar or lemon juice, and 2 tablespoons very finely-chopped mint. Serve cold.

Sardines and Plums

Some blue plums, sardines, salt and pepper, lemon juice, lettuce leaves.

Wash the plums, cut in two (lengthwise), and remove the stone. Mash the sardines well with a fork, add the seasonings to taste. Pile on top of the plums, covering well. Arrange on a bed of lettuce leaves.

Roast Beef With Browned Pears

When roasting your favorite cut of beef in a hot oven, place halves of pears, peeled and cored and dipped in flour, around the joint when nearly cooked. Baste well and cook until brown. Serve as a border around the joint.

Note: A sprig of rosemary embedded in your loin of mutton, or some leaves added to the seasoning for shoulder of mutton, makes all the difference.

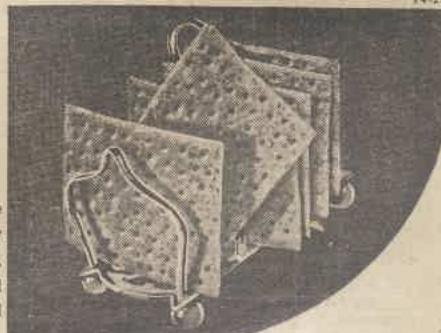


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girl. So there are two nice things about you, anyway."

It was slowly borne in on Arthur that there was something in this situation rather like a scene in Galsworthy's "Escape". He was on the run, and this pretty girl did not want to see him hunted down and caught before her eyes; he was, in fact, rather a romantic figure; on the other hand, of course, she would be an added embarrassment if he stopped here for the week-end, and she was going to hero worship him all the time. Also, he could not see why, if she were not hostile, she had got out of the train rather than sit and look at him. She seemed to sense this query on his part.

"Do you remember me? You must



GLADYS: What is . . . most treasured possession of your ex-husband?
BERVIL: His alimony.

have noticed me get out of the train. I got out to disarm suspicion. You'd seen me staring and I was afraid you might make off. I got into another carriage . . . and at Worplegate I kept out of sight. Once I'd shadowed you to your hold I went to the quay in the paper.

"Oh," said Arthur gravely. "You are a journalist?"

"That's right. And this is a scoop for me. And even if you killed me, to get away to-night, it would still be front page stuff. In fact, it would be fun to stagger into the office after I'd been sent out to get a story, and when the night editor said, 'Well . . . have you got a story?' I could say, simply, 'Yes . . . I'm it . . .' and fall dead on the floor."

Arthur felt his chin a moment.

"Might I ask?" he said, "what made you come to Worplegate at all, if you were wanting news? Surely a place like

this is dead as far as you're concerned . . . there couldn't be a story here."

"I saw you much earlier. You were limping along and calling for a taxi. I noted your moustache and eyeglass, and you jumped into the cab and off it went. I got another and came after you. I caught you at the station, and heard you ask the porter which platform for Worplegate . . . and so I pushed in front and got a ticket, too. My paper said 'Hang on to him . . . whatever else you do!'"

Said he: "Do you expect me to go quietly with you to the police, or are you going to blow a whistle or are there police already on the scene but out of sight?"

"It isn't my idea to give you up at all," the girl replied. "All I want is the story. I want to interview you and get the full account of all you've

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Some New Laughs

"What is music?"
"An expensive form of noise."

"Is Jones on the hunt?"
"I think so. His manners have so
D.T.-rinated."

"And how do you like your hair cut,
sir?"
"In perfect silence."

"You seem out of spirits, old man."
"I am. Not a drop left."

"I never pay my old debts."
"What about the new ones?"
"Oh, I let them grow old."

HOBST HOLBROOK says: I blend, I stir, and
I brew the Bounce of the House of Holbrook. The World's Applesauce. ***

The SUMMER HOUSE

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IT was the first of the year's sweet-ness, and she had brought him some. Scent of clematis. Scent of it reminding him of how she had tended him through that long convalescence and had nursed him back to life again. Nancy giving unspareingly of herself.

"She was such a good, good wife," he said.

And now . . .

They had grown old, and perhaps a little jaded with life. They were prone to forget the old sweet-sweetness and to linger too much on the difficulties and the trials which had beset them. As if anything mattered as long as they had each other.

But now the summer-house was in sad need of repair, and their marriage was the same. Nancy said she was sick of slaving; she was sick of going on trying to keep the home together. Lately there had been difficult times; the trade slump had affected him; it was a bit hard at her time of life having to skimp and pinch all over again.

He remembered how they had skimped in the beginning, and yet how happy they had been through it all.

Rose scent coming in upon his dreamings. It was not much use going on nagging, Nancy said, and she was sick to death of it all. She didn't believe in trying to pretend everything was all right when it wasn't all right, and she would prefer to go and live with Rhoda, the eldest married daughter.

This evening they had decided things. Nancy was matter-of-fact, and he being only a man, clung sentimentally to the memories of the past.

"We haven't got on for some time now," Nancy said.

Well, perhaps they hadn't. She had grown into a nagging wife, and perhaps some of it was his fault; he had not been too tolerant with her. Once there had been such a lot of time for affection and love and the things that mattered. Nowadays she hardly kissed him. Well, perhaps he was an old fool to want it!

He was sorry that marriage should end in this way. She was going to live with Rhoda.

Ronnie had suggested that he should go to him. All the same, he felt that Ronnie did not really want him. He had a young wife, and it wasn't natural to have the old people foisted back upon you. Ronnie wanted the addition to the income that it would involve, but that was about all.

Once they had thought in terms of roses, honeysuckle, and clematis, but now they were thinking in terms of f.s.d.

He got up.

For old times' sake he cut a sprig of each and smelt it lovingly.

He took it indoors with him.

He went inside so quietly that Nancy did not hear him, but sat there, her head resting on her hands in the dim light.

"Nancy," he said, and he went over to her, and stooped down quietly and kissed her. She too, smelt the sweetness of the honeysuckle.

"Where have you been?" she asked but not so sharply as usual.

"In the summer-house."

"The old place wants pulling down." "Like our marriage?" Then he made a little movement. "No, dear, don't light the light yet. Let's talk."

THIS Woman BUSINESS

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EDDIE looked at them with his mouth open. Then, before he could sink away, the two disengaged themselves from their fond embrace and saw him. Tony scowled, but Phoebe beamed. She held out a hand.

"Hello, Eddie dear," she said. "I'm so glad you're one of the very first to know!"

"Know what?" said Eddie.

"That Tony and I are engaged. You've been a perfect darling, Eddie. If it hadn't been for you, I believe I'd still be moulder in that horrid old tea-shop, unknown to your adorable family, and Tony would still be coming down in the two-seater to see me every evening. But you introduced me to them, when he couldn't possibly have done so, without their thinking me a designing hussy. We've just asked them if we can be engaged, and they've been most awfully nice about it. And we owe all that to you!"

There was a pause. Then Eddie said gallantly:

"Congratulations, and all that!" Perhaps his voice cracked. Perhaps his face told something for Phoebe, looking at him and suddenly to her very new fiance.

"Run away, Tony now! I want to talk to Eddie."

"Don't be long then," said Tony, as he strode away.

HOD HOLBROOK says, I have a variety of olives called Small Queen. They are delicious and tasty. *

She sat down again and stared at him.

"What about?"

"Roses, and honeysuckle, and clematis. I was thinking about them. Do you remember when Ronnie was born?"

"Yea." For a moment her mind also went back to it, the round red cheeks of roses pressed against the window of the room. "He was a fine baby," she said with a certain pride.

"That night after he fell off the summer-house roof?"

"Yes." She was nudged a little, for there was a certain awe about it. She bent a little closer to him. "That was a bad time—worse than anything else."

"And my operation?"

"And that. That was when I started to age. Ernie; I could not face it."

He put an arm round her, very tenderly, remembering her as she had been as a young woman, fragile and delicate, and how he had thought of her as a kind of Madonna, mother of his babies.

"Oh, my dear," he said, "marriage meant a lot to us in those days."

They sat there silently, for they did not need words.

There are pictures which are painted in the human brain with the loveliest flower scents of all. Pictures that the essence of the lilac will call up; pictures that you can remember only when you smell a well-loved flower. She was seeing again something rather exquisite, something that held their marriage together through the years, just as flowers had bound the old and shaky timbers of the summer-house close.

Suddenly she saw in this man who had grown trying and irritable, and a little old, the memory of the lover who had stood by her, and whom she had loved dearly.

"Yet what can we do for the future?" she asked. "We nag each other. We are always having little scenes. And Ronnie wants the money."

"Ronnie doesn't matter. We matter most of all." He kissed her lingeringly, one of those kisses there had not been time for late. "Ronnie isn't important; we matter most of all. We nagged because we haven't saved time to keep our most precious belonging unmarred. We have allowed marriage to become ordinary—marriage, which is the loveliest thing in the world."

"It isn't that I haven't loved you, Ernie. It is that lately there hasn't seemed to be time."

"We have allowed life to clutter itself up with all sorts of things that don't matter; we have not allowed time for the more important things."

"Such as—" she asked.

He held the sprays close to her.

"Such as roses, and honeysuckle, and clematis."

They were quiet for a moment, and the moon falling into the room shed a white light on the two of them. She said:

"If you were always like this, Ernie, it would be so different."

"If you were always like this, Nancy . . ."

He saw her again as the young girl; she saw him as her lover. They both knew that they could not say goodbye to each other; they could not part.

THE OTHER WAY

My old uncle used to say,
"Always walk the other way
Than the crowd does. When they're
walkin'"

East, and east is all they're talkin'.
Then I always travel west;
Or, if they think north is best,
That's an easy way of knowin'.
South is how I should be goin'.

"When my neighbors far and near
Say it's been an awful year,
Aful year for farmers' prices,
(Plough 'em under, their advice is),
When there comes another spring
Then I mostly plant one thing—
Not an acre, three or four of
What the rest won't raise no
more of."

"That's the rule to follow, and
That's the way I got my land;
Sell when other men are buyin',
Buy when other men are tryin'
Hard to sell, for right along
Any crowd is always wrong,
What they stint on, what they
spend on—

That's a thing you can depend on."
—J.B.

Next day he repaired the summer-

house. He fastened it together with long nails and staples. Yet although they were iron and held fast, he knew that nothing would hold it so fast as the rose and the honeysuckle and the clematis which grew thereon.

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Thoughtful Driver

I WAS riding in a Brisbane tram in one of the suburbs last week when suddenly the brakes were applied and many of the passengers were thrown from their seats. We all thought something serious had happened, but were astonished when the driver alighted from the tram, picked up a tiny black kitten from the tram-track, and placed it on the footpath. Lost in admiration at the driver's humane act, we forgot for the moment how close some of us were being seriously hurt.—J.R.C.

The Lesson Miscarried

A FRIEND of mine has a penchant for making her youngsters tidy about the house. She insists upon them putting everything away after their play and burning all papers and rubbish. Last week she left £2 in notes on the table to have it ready when the land-

lord called for the rent. On returning to the kitchen she found her little girl, three years of age, just closing the door of the fuel stove. "I burned all the rubbish you left on the table, mummie," said the youngster, expecting the usual commendation. The mother rushed to the stove in time to see her rent vanishing into smoke.—G.B.

Born Before His Great-Uncle

HOW'S this for an unusual family tangle? A friend, writing from London, tells me of a woman of fifty-eight, her daughter and her granddaughter who all gave birth to healthy children during the same night. The first child to be born was that of the seventeen-year-old granddaughter. The birth of this child's uncle followed a little later, and before morning his great-uncle had also been born.—Bee."

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A Small World

ONE of my earliest memories is of a man falling unconscious at our front door in a N.S.W. town. My mother took him in and nursed him for three weeks. When he was leaving he gave me a Kruger sovereign and a nugget of gold. For 30 years I treasured the gifts. Hard times came recently, and I decided to sell the gifts. I took them to a gold-buyer in North Queensland and I noticed that he looked long at the nugget. I told him its history, and found that he was the stranger who had given it to me 30 years ago. He is now a prosperous gold-buyer in the north.—J.M.

FRONT PAGE STUFF

"DON'T push me over,

"My dear lady," he said, shocked. "Julius Mostyn is not a murderer."

"I know, and that," she said, "is why I'm not afraid."

They had sat on the cliff-tops for what seemed an age.

Beginning by answering haltingly her questions, he had by degrees gained confidence and had described how he had come of poor but humble parents, and had been destined for the haberdashery. At times she had caught his slight smile and had puckered up her brow. Once, indeed, she had looked at him intimately and had said:

"I thought you must have a sense of humor. Without it you could never have kept on the run so long."

Presently he reached more recent history and described how he had been followed through the streets of London, stared at in buses, and cross-questioned by the police.

She said incredulously: "You mean they had you and they let you go again?"

"Just so," said Arthur, whimsically, "because you see . . . I'm not Julius Mostyn. They had made just the same mistake that you did."

Her eyes rested on his profile for a moment.

"You needn't be afraid of me," she said, "you can tell me the truth. I promise . . . word of honor."

"And on my word of honor," Arthur said, "I'm not."

There was bewildered silence. Greta Morris was frowning at him like a child suspicious suddenly of awful disillusionment; all friendliness was leaving her.

"Do you mean honestly you're not. You've kept me here all this time simply to lead me on? Nonsense. Why did you take off your moustache, then?"

Quietly and apologetically he told her. He was not proud of disappointing her; he had discovered in this little while that she was a most fascinating person; she had nice ideas, and her voice gratified him even when he had not quite liked at first what she was saying.

She heard him out. She listened to the truth about Madeline Halse, and she sighed and looked away. Her eyes rested now upon the phosphorescent gleam upon the calm sea under the new moon; her lips were tremulous.

"So that," she said, "is my great story. I shall go back to Fleet Street and put it in for expenses . . . and shall get one week's money and the sack."

"I don't see why," said Arthur earnestly, "you want a story. Well, good Lord, you've got one . . . surely. A story nobody has hit on 'The Man Who Looks Like Julius Mostyn.' Isn't that just as good? If I were the right chap and you let me get away you might get into serious trouble. All you can get for this is praise. Print everything . . . the story of my several requests to go and be interviewed by the Inspector . . . the coincidence by which I sprained my ankle . . . the grim way I've been followed everywhere . . . and then the way I actually lost the girl I wanted . . . how I shaved . . . and put on glasses . . . and how we found ourselves sitting on this cliff. . . . A

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Every day in harvest
(Every now and then)
Little Robin Redbreast,
Little Jenny Wren,
Sang a comic opera
For the working men.

And they roared with laughter
(Those grimy working men)
At the comic opera,
Then sighed, and turned again
From Little Robin Redbreast
And Little Jenny Wren.
—Margaret Goyder.

man who could only find rest down at Worplegate from being hunted all over England in mistake."

After an interval she turned and her hand rested on his arm.

"You wouldn't mind my using all you've told me?"

"Not a bit," said Arthur, "provided that you don't give the lady's name . . . and preferably don't even give my own . . . the story's yours, and if they don't believe it, I'll come up and show myself, with photographs."

Her hand stayed where it was; he was pleased that it did.

He looked down at her and admired her short, straight nose; also lips that would have gratified a film director.

At last she said: "All right, I'll go and phone that . . . now."

"I'll come, too," he remarked, "in case they want me."

"That would be sweet of you. They might want me to go up now by road, and if so I suppose they would like you to go up too, and show yourself."

"Suits me," said Arthur.

"But you came for the week-end, didn't you?"

"I have been told to go again," said he, "and go I will."

ON the way up to town that evening in a hired car, Greta, who had been looking at Arthur for some time, expressed her considered thoughts.

She said: "I can't make out why you ever wore an eyeglass and that awful moustache."

"You didn't like them?"

"They looked dreadful. In fact, they were affected, and they made you look the kind of man you're not."

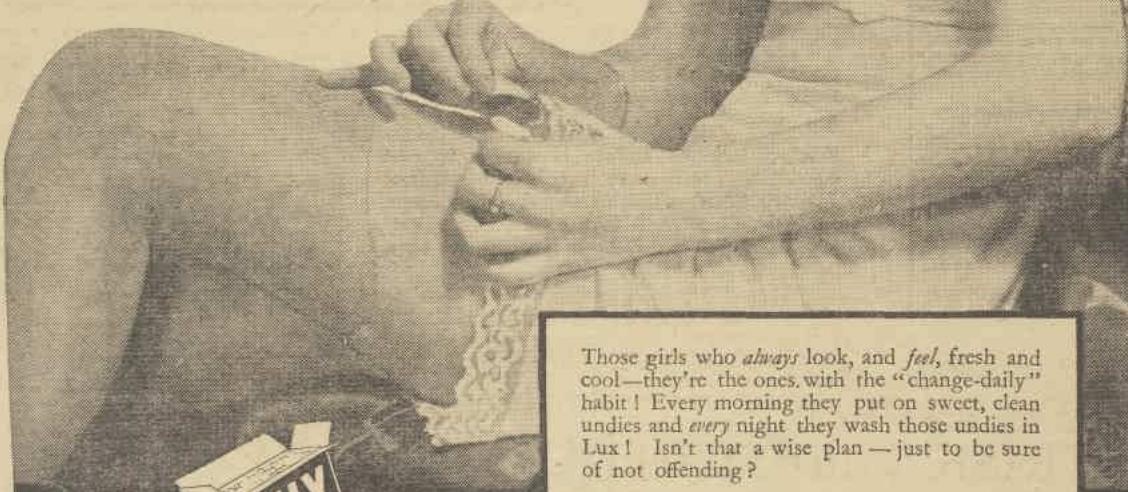
"You mean to say that you prefer me then . . . like this?"

"Of course I do . . . like that you do look somebody . . . If I were you, I'd never go back to the old style any more."

Arthur sat thinking. He leaned a little towards her, and presently he said: "I shan't go back to anything or anybody . . . What time will you have lunch, tea, and dinner with me every day next week?"

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ROCKERIES are Delightful

.... Says The
Old Gardener
How to Make Them
.... and How to
Stock Them!

THE laying-out of a rockery seems a matter of great expense and effort to many people. But anyone can have a small rockery and make of it a colorful, picturesque addition to the home surroundings, as our Old Gardener tells you this week.

TO-DAY we will have a chat on rockeries, then you'll be able to have this sloping ground laid out in a way that will suit you. Glad I came along at the right time.

The building and making of a rockery is to imitate nature so closely as to be mistaken for it. I have built many rockeries, Miss, and have also had long experience in this class of work. Many rockeries which I have seen feature, to my way of thinking, an excess of stone and a sad scarcity of soil for the culture of plants.

I was taught that rocks should not be the main feature. The earth and the plants to be the most essential, and to make the rocks cropping out here and there appear as natural as possible. Of course, this idea of rockery may not suit everybody, but I am only advising you and passing on to you the knowledge gained from many long years of practical and scientific experience.

I have seen people go to a great deal of trouble and expense in rockery building. They have had loads of stones carted miles at an enormous cost and then cemented together, with pockets of various shapes and sizes. Some of them look well, too, when completed, but I consider this method makes the rockery appear more or less artificial, and detracts from the natural beauty.

There are many gardens situated on



HERE YOU glimpse a mixture of crazy and flagged paving which is interesting as well as attractive. Grass grows between the crevices, but you can grow moss and dwarf flowering plants with happy success. Note the picturesque effect given this corner by the potted azalea and young mandarin.

hillsides and elsewhere where possibilities exist for the building of perfect natural rockeries at very little cost. In all spots where the natural rock crops out of the surface or is so near it as to be easily reached and developed, the most satisfactory results are easy of attainment.

HOW TO MAKE IT

USE stone that is natural to the surroundings and keep to the one color. I don't think I have seen anything more ridiculous than a rockery made of a collection of stones of various colors. No, I'm not hard to please, Miss, but I do love to see a garden or rockery made as natural as possible.

Stones are used to form the ribs of construction, whatever the size may be. These prevent undue evaporation at the surface and aid in the healthy development of roots.

Before you commence building, draw a rough plan, then peg out the land accordingly. The next step is to dig it thoroughly. Make the soil the base, then place the stones in bold, natural positions around and cropping up here and there as nature would have them do. All pockets should be of different shape and size.

The soil in these pockets should be deep, well-dug, with suitable drainage, and the division or cracks should be arranged so that plants can be grown between.

Cement in rockeries should be avoided.

WHAT TO GROW

I COULD talk all day—there is so much to tell about rockery building, but time is going and I must give you an idea of what types of plants are necessary in order to make an artistic and colorful display.

Before mentioning these plants there may be some among them that have a tendency to grow taller than is required, but by systematic cutting and judicious pruning these can be kept well in hand. Shape, size, and color will be maintained, also.

Rockeries should also be planted with perennials—something that will give color, besides blooms, throughout the year.

When planted with annuals it gives a bare and forlorn appearance while waiting for the next display, especially during the winter months.

Always leave room for cacti here and

there through the rockery, and select the hottest and best-drained position for them.

Make your choice of plants from the following:

Agathaea—dwarf and compact in growth, and crowned with masses of marguerite-shaped flowers of a lovely shade of blue.

Goldrussa—dwarf, bronze with lavender-like flowers; a delightful little subject.

Hypcerium—a bright yellow flowering plant, small in habit. This is an excellent rockery plant.

Cuphea—the cigar flower; a very free flowering plant.

Heliotrope—we all know the value of this sweetly-scented and pretty foliated plant.

Gazanias—low-growing plants, massed with bright, orange flowers.

Dracena Australis—these create an oriental effect and are very attractive.

Cotoneaster—has a weeping habit of growth; its white flowers are followed by scarlet berries.

Coleus Trailing—a hardy type with wonderful color.

Azaleas—it is needless for me to describe these; everyone loves them.

Antheridium Variegata—beautifully marked with ribbon-like leaves.

Veronica—a very fine shrub with glossy leaves and various colored flowers.

Lotus—a very distinct plant with silvery foliage; trailing habit.

Thunbergia Gibsoni—another very distinct trailing plant, orange yellow flowers, and blooms eight months of the year.

Stokesia—has a striking blue flower, while shamrock has very pretty foliage and medium is very easy to grow.

Pomegranate has very handsome foliage, and brilliant flowers. Lantana is very free flowering and hardy. Membryanthemum (my word, Miss, I nearly got tongue-tied that time!) is a wonderful rockery plant.

Selvia—this is the purple lantana, and very striking.

Abutilon (Japanese lantern)—this prettily colored plant with its quaint flowers adds color to the rockery.

We must not forget the hydrangeas. There are many varieties and colors to choose from, or russelia, a pretty weeping plant.

Flowering prunus, peach, quince and plum make nice color during the spring, and can be kept dwarfed by judicious pruning.

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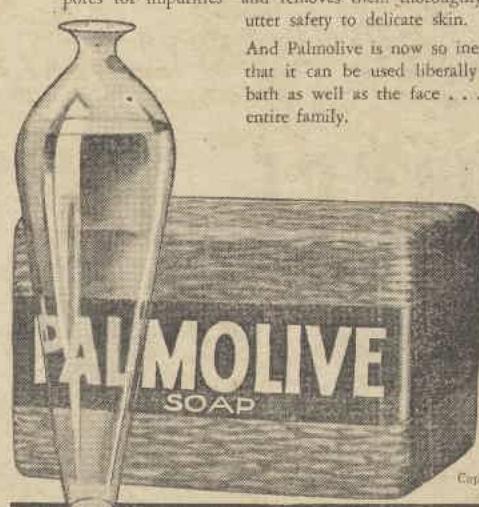
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Don't RISK Your SIGHT

An optician offers the following comment on "Cheap Spectacles," a matter on which readers recently argued the pros and cons.

OPTICAL aids should not be classed as mere merchandise—they should be considered adjuncts to the skill of the prescriber—he is optometrist or ophthalmologist (or oculist).

Rarely is a person found who has two eyes exactly the same, from the point of view of vision—yet some of them endeavor to use these inferior "pairs" of lenses—possibly to the detriment of one eye. Further, most of these pairs of lenses are set in frames of approximately the same size, and whether the wearer's face be large or small, the features regular or irregular, they expect to achieve good results.

Without submitting mathematical evidence which would be tedious to state the layman—it is perfectly correct to state your digestion, if you wish—but not your vision.

TERRY and TEDDY TWINS

by HARRY EYRE JR.



Gonnie's Letter

MY DEAR PALS—

As Easter is almost here, I suppose many of you are busy packing things to take away with you for a short holiday. Dozens of Pals have written telling me of where they intend staying. Now, don't forget, all of you, to write as soon as you get home again, and tell me about your holiday.

TONY, one of my very best pals, writes for the week comes from George James, 9, Melville St., Maryborough, Qld., for which he wins a 5/- prize. Here is an extract from George's interesting letter:

"Maryborough, the town in which I live, is a very pretty place. There are shipbuilding yards, sugar mills, saw mills, and a bacon factory within a few miles of each other. Vegetables are grown extensively round about Maryborough."

Good-bye until next week.
Cheerio,
From your Pal,
CONNIE.

SAY THERE
The nothing can consist, so the nothing can suffocate us not.
Which switch Miss is the right switch for Ipswich, Alin?
Prize Card to Betty Williams, 187 Tyler St., East Preston, Vic.

Why can a fishmonger never be generous?—Because his business makes him sell salt (sel-salt).
Prize Card to Lewis Williams, Bulgastry, via Aubrey, N.S.W.

Dream Express

By MAUMINE CAHILL

All aboard the Dream Express. That's bound for Sleepy Town. The fare is just one loving kiss. There's no room for a frown.

We pass the land where fairy tales really do come true: And if you're very good you'll see The Woman in the Shoe.

Then off into the sky we drive. The Lady Moon to see. And all the pretty little stars That twinkle merrily.

And when into the sky there creeps The early morning sun, The Dream Express comes home To see another day begin.

Maurine Cahill, 4 Matlana Rd., Artarmon, (N.S.W.) wins a 5/- prize for this pretty verse.

Just Chatter



INTRODUCING John Tuckerman, of Five Dock, and Melvyn Jarman, of Redfern.

BARBARA STEPHENS, of Ashfield (N.S.W.), writes a very interesting letter; Jack Ansell, of Shepparton (Vic.), does clever sketches; Barbara Ven, of Adaminaby, will sit for the International Exchange; and the following year, Bernard Forrest, of Crown Nest (N.S.W.), has painted pretty murals; Patricia Richards, of Lindfield (N.S.W.), used to live eleven miles from Brisbane.

Bernard Armitage, of Morningside, Brisbane (Q.), writes an interesting letter; Joyce Poy of Harcourt (N.S.W.), is very fond of surfing during the hot weather; Dorothy Stone, of Kangaroo Point (Q.), writes clever stories; Jim McAllister, of Gulgong (N.S.W.), can draw very pretty pictures; Charlie Morris, of Bendigo (Vic.), will be four years old in May; Alice Cunningham, of West End, Brisbane (Q.), will be in Sydney for the Show.

SYMPATHETIC old lady: What are you crying for, my boy?

Boy: "I've got a thrashing yesterday for not washing, and now Father's just given me another for bathing in the river!"

Price Card to Hazel Potter (11), Lismore, via Stanthorpe, Qld.

Mr. Smith had finished putting the seeds in the garden.

"How about birds eating them?" queried Mrs. Smith.

"Haven't you better put up a scarecrow?"

"That doesn't matter," was the reply. "One of us will always be watching, but he won't be much help, and this is what he said."

Price Card to Heather Hay (18), 56 Fourth Av., Lidcombe, N.S.W.

Mother: "I left two pieces of cake in the cupboard, and now there's only one piece. Can you explain this, Tommy?"

Tommy: "Well, it was so dark when I went back that I didn't see the other piece."

Price Card to Jean Butledge, 8 Neale Parade, Burwood, N.S.W.

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"I DON'T think it would make any difference," she said slowly. "The public loves a romance and every true romance ends with marriage and people living happily ever after."

"That's it," he said triumphantly. "You're a great girl, Jenny. We'll work up a new legend. I'll tell Wainwright. The end of the road of romance. Don Juan in wedlock."

"Don Juan in Hell," she countered quickly, with a laugh.

"You're a frightful child, Jenny. If you worked in my theatre I'd sack you instantly. You know too much and you think too quickly."

"Do you like the flowers?" she said demurely, as she put the last touches.

"Fine. Do you like my flat?"

"I think it's frightful."

"So do I. This flat alone is enough to drive any man to the altar. Now quit messing about with those roses. You've got to have a drink with me to wish me luck."

"No, thanks, I—"

"Now, Jenny, don't be so unfriendly. Look just a sherry, very dry like your humor and very ancient like my jokes. Come on. If a man's going to try to get married you can't refuse to drink his health."

"He picked up one of the fine amber wine glasses and held it to the light to show her the faint lines that ran around it. "Dudley, the artist who made these, told me these lines represented the eternal circle in which everything came back from where it started. And do you know what he told his friends? He told 'em he'd found a marvelous mug of an ignorant actor who was willing to pay to be beguiled."

"But you're not beguiled," she said, with a little sigh. "They get their money on false pretenses. That's what's so wrong. You're not beguiled."

"Hush, Jenny, don't tell me. The

best thing in life is to let yourself be deceived."

"No," she said stoutly, "that's not true."

He shook his head. "Otherwise one needs too much courage." He picked up the decanter. "Let's have some of the Dutch variety," he said more lightly.

She took the glass he handed to her and looked gravely across at him.

He faced her. "Jenny—little Jenny who doesn't find me amusing, will you please smile just this once?" Her lips were trembling. She pressed them hard together and looked at him mutely.

"Well," he said, "to our friendship, Jenny."

With an effort she found her voice.

"To your happiness," she said, and made a little vow in her secret heart that the toast was not an idle one.

"Splendid. Now we should by right throw our glasses violently over our left shoulders—but we won't—Fletcher would be too angry. Thank you very much, Jenny dear, for your flowers and your friendship."

She picked up her bag, her scissors, and her boxes. "Good-bye, Mr. Gerrard, and good luck."

"Good-bye, Jenny Wren. Take care of yourself."

Jenny walked thoughtfully towards the Tube, unconscious of the buses thundering past her, and the big cars hurrying the Hampstead rich to dine in town. She was thinking of Toni, of a smile that was charming but that had so often just a touch of artificiality, a false quality. She would like to make it genuine. She had drunk to his happiness and the ceremony had a meaning. Since he wanted to marry Christine somehow Christine must be tutored to his purpose. Jenny smiled at her own presumption. Christine

must not be allowed to think that any woman could fool Tom Gerrard—no, not even if it were true. It would be a bad beginning. Jenny remembered Christine's brown eyes dancing with golden lights, not in the excitement of love, but in the excitement of battle. Under the sophistication, under the civilisation, under the French frocks and the American make-up, and the Mayfair accent Jenny suspected Christine of something untamed, a savagery that would think nothing of smashing a man's fragile happiness.

THE entrance to Baker St. Tube yawned like an open mouth. Jenny shook her head, threw off these thoughts, clutched her boxes and fought viciously and valiantly to hold her own against the crowds to Leicester Square.

It was nearly eight o'clock when Jenny got back to the shop, but Pamela was still working.

"Hello, Jenny, guess who's been here."

"Who?"

"Your beau."

"My—?"

"Yes, courageous Clive Freeman, the terror of Threadneedle St., the rip of the Royal Exchange. Opening next week our whirlwind romance of the financier and the florist or the love story of a company director."

"Oh, shut up. Clive Freeman's all right." Suddenly she turned to Pamela, wistfully, eagerly.

"Good-bye, Mr. Gerrard," she insisted. She valued Pamela's opinion.

"Why—yes."

"But really—honestly."

"Do you like him, Jenny?"

"Yes, I do like him. Pam—but—"

"But what?"

"It's with my head, not with my heart."

Pamela was taken aback. "You don't mean—"

Jenny nodded.

"Not seriously."

"Perhaps—if I'm asked."

"Oh."

There was a silence between them. Pamela suddenly saw Clive Freeman in a new light. She thought hastily of all the feckless young men that she herself danced with; of all the irresponsibles who held her hand at the movies; of stolen kisses in taxis; of the mess and muddle and cheapness that passed for "having a good time."

She turned her intelligent, good-humored face towards her companion. "I think you're right, Jenny," she said slowly. "I'd never have credited you with that much sense, but I think you're right."

"You do, really?"

"Yes. The world's a mess these days, isn't it? Boys of our age haven't a bean. They can't support anything, poor mugs, not even themselves. If you haven't any money, life can be pretty grim. I've tried some."

"And there's no escape except by marriage," sighed Jenny.

"Well," said Pamela, "you might win the Irish sweep, or inherit a million, or become a film star overnight—or again you mightn't."

"I'm sure I mightn't."

"And the young fellows proposing marriage aren't so plentiful," pursued the young realist. "Why if all the chaps who've told me they loved me led me to the altar I could hold the



"Is Muriel doing well with her dramatic broadcast sketches?"

"Yes, she's a perfect scream."

bigamist's record for the British Isles. But they don't, and you wake up one morning and find you're thirty—or even forty."

"Yes."

"Forty is not so good. People don't even want to employ you, let alone marry you. I've got a cousin who was in this business. Sacked last week. The manager said he must have the kind of face that made young men buy flowers they didn't need."

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"WHAT a shame!"

"That reminds me. I think Madame is fed up with Anne, from little things she said. Anne's all right but she's a bit too much of a lady, don't you think?"

"Oh, Pam. I hope you're not right." "Your brother's keen on her, isn't he?"

"Dreadfully. Oh, damn money and the necessity of earning one's daily bread."

"Well, he's got a good steady job."

"Steady! No job is steady."

"Wrong again. I know a chap got two years' hard labor. He kept that job."

Jenny smiled a little wanly. "Life's a mess, Pam," and she added fastidiously, "I always did hate a mess."

Behind the counter the little blue enamel clock with the silver hands struck eight politely. "Come on. Let's shut up shop."

"Right. Madame there?"

Pamela jerked her head in the direction of the back room. "Yes, deep in her newspapers. Buck up, I've got to meet the boy friend at eight fifteen. He has absolutely nothing in the upper storey, but how that boy can dance!" Then she remembered their recent improving conversation. "Still, like you, I'll have to look out for a steady soon and settle down."

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ATHLETIC RECORDS In Victoria and N.S.W.

The championships of the Victorian Women's Amateur Athletic Association are completed.

In view of the selection of Empire Games representatives, the records established during the season are of the keenest interest to all athletic enthusiasts.

THE brilliant Doris Carter, winner of the high jump, 5ft. 2in., broke all existing Australian records, and was only 24 inches outside a world's record. The latter, with a little more training, should be well within her scope.

Mrs Carter was a school teacher at Melville Forest, on the South Australian border, and, on the day of this fine performance, she drove for 10 hours alone, arriving in Melbourne at 1:30 a.m.

She has since been transferred over here, so even greater things will be expected of her in future, as living in Melbourne will give her more time for consistent training.

Among the "stars," too, were E. Biddle, who won the javelin championship, D. Ireland, who won the 220 and 100 yards and gained second place in the 75, and Vera Cowan, who won the shot putt.

N.S.W. Athletes

In New South Wales, Clarice Kennedy broke the Australian and the State record for the 90 yards hurdles. Her time was 12.2-sec. Edie Robinson was successful in defeating ex-Olympian, Eileen Wearne, in the 100 yards. She established a new Australian record by covering the distance in 11.1-sec.

It is unfortunate for Cora Hannan that the discus throw is not included in the Empire Games events, for her throw of 107.2 established an Australian and State record.

THE events set down for women athletes at the Empire Games are the 100 and the 800 yards race, 80 yards

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Y.W.C.A. Activities

THE Y.W.C.A. Easter camp will be held at Thirroul, on the South Coast, this year. Already a large number have signified their intention of taking advantage of the holiday at the surf.

A revue, arranged for Thursday, March 22, will be given at the Y.W.C.A., and the proceeds will go to help the Y.W.C.A., the Rachael Foster Hospital for Women, and towards helping with the expenses of the N.S.W. Basketball Association.

Athletes Nominated For Empire Games

NOMINATIONS from the different States have been sent to the Empire Games Selection Committee.

N.S.W. has nominated C. Kennedy, C. Hannan, E. Wearne, E. Robinson with Mrs. C. Ellis as chaperon.

Queensland has nominated Mrs. T. Peake, and Doris Carter is Victoria's choice with Mrs. D. Mulcahy as chaperon.

CRICKET Premiers

PREMIERS for the first time since the inception of the N.S.W. Women's Cricket Association, the Cheerio team certainly deserved their victory.

The team was captained by Edna Pritchard, a sportswoman in every sense of the word. As a leader her fairness and cheerfulness have made the Cheerio team one of the most popular in women's sports.

Edna Pritchard's own record would be difficult to equal. She captained the New South Wales women's cricket team in their first match against Victoria and Queensland.

For four years she captained the N.S.W. basketball team, and on Saturday she will be among those chosen to play before the baseball selectors with a view to selection in the New South Wales team for the coming Interstate baseball contests.

Seven years ago the Cheerio Club was formed under the guidance of Miss Gwen Varley, and Edna Pritchard received her first coaching in cricket. Even at that early stage she showed marked ability on the field.

The following year she was joined by D. Hannan, N. Bourke, and her sister, Hazel. These four players are still members of the club.

This year Hazel Pritchard again heads the batting list, a position she has held for the last three years. D. Blake, a member who transferred from the Sans Souci Club last season, comes second on the batting list, and heads the bowling averages, with M. Flaherty second.

The Annandale Waratahs team, second in the first grade premiership, hold a record unique among clubs playing in New South Wales, for their second grade team won their division, and their third grade team filled first position in their grade.

Mrs. Hudson, president of the Annandale Waratahs Club, has done much to improve the standard of cricket in her district. As a vice-president in the N.S.W.W.C.A. her work has been invaluable.

Two grade matches have yet to be played, but these will not affect the results of the competition leaders. Sans Souci have to play Teachers' College, and Kuring-gai will meet University,

QUEENSLAND Defeated In Interstate VIGORO

The New South Wales vigoro team has returned home, carrying the ashes with them once more and leaving the Queenslanders wiser if sadder.

In the three Tests, the New South Wales attack was superb, their fielding being second only to their deadly bowling.

SYBIL BLACK, Jess Smallman, and Rita Hallings excelled, Sybil Black proving the "Larwood" of the team.

ON their batting the visitors placed their balls well, using judgment to compile their runs in ones and twos. The Queenslanders, for the most part, attacked the bowling with a vigor, the results of which proved that discretion would certainly have been "the better part."

The teams provided a contrast apart from actual play. The New South Wales girls, in their blue pleated tunics to the knee, looked handicapped in contrast to the neat maroon shorts of the Queenslanders, though this fact was hardly reflected in the scores.

Myrtle Karangah, the Oakley Junior, was an outstanding bat for the home team. Jess Paterson led the bowling.

DETITE and very fair, Miss Thelma Healy, captain of the N.S.W. team, is a prime favorite in Queensland. She led her team to victory in the Tests, and was tremendously pleased to be able to carry on the unbroken chain of New South Wales' success.

THE defeat of the Queensland vigoro team at the hands of New South Wales has awakened the Q.L.V.A. to drastic action.

It is proposed to choose the two best elevens and arrange a series of matches during the winter months, with trophies to be awarded for the best batting and bowling averages.

Mrs. Dodge, secretary of the N.S.W. Association, is negotiating with the Melbourne Y.W.C.A. for two Sydney teams to play a demonstration match in Melbourne. New South Wales also hopes to hold its first Country Week this year.

VARIOUS Rulings for Prospective TESTS

There is apparently more than a possibility that the South Australian Women's Cricket Association will affiliate with the Australian Women's Cricket Council within the next few months.

The question of uniforms for the Test matches has been decided, but various rulings in regard to play have still to be adjusted.

LIKE the other Australian matter, when playing in this country, and, of course, Australia has played the six balls to the over when visiting England.

All the women players in Australia, however, have played eight balls to the over, and it is certain that they are going to find themselves severely handicapped at the commencement of the season. Bowlers are prone to concentrate and put more energy into the last few deliveries in an over, and it is surprising how many batsmen are out off the last or second last ball in an over.

This change, therefore, will bring about a great change in a bowler's tactics. Fieldsmen will also find a difference, for they will be called upon to make frequent changes, and it is advisable that these changes should be made quickly.

But if the Australian Council has its way in another direction, the English team also will be handicapped. England plays with a lighter ball than that used in Australia, so that English bowlers will also share in the handicap of playing under rather different conditions.

English Visitor

MISS EDITH THOMPSON, who is one of the leaders of the English Women's Hockey Association, will be invited to visit Australia during the Pacific Tournament.

Miss Thompson won the C.B.E. distinction during the war.

She has acted as manager of touring teams on such a number of occasions as to establish a record in this exacting capacity, and her genial disposition and tactful handling of the girls has made her universally popular.

If a vote were taken on the most popular world hockey official there is little doubt the honor would go to Miss Thompson.

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